

No. B14.—Rabi Statement.  
IRRIGATION OPERATIONS OF FASL RABI, 1881-82.  
Statement in Acres of Crops irrigated in Canal Zolas.

	Saharanpur.	Muzaffarnagar.	Meerut.	Bulandshahr.	Aligarh.	Muttra.	Agra.	Etah.	Mainpuri.	Mathgarh.	Etawah.	Cawnpore.	Delhi.	Gurgaon.	Dun.	Bijnor.	Tarai.	Pilibhit.	Bareilly.	Thansi.	Hamirpur.	Total.	
Gardens and Orchards	736	623	1,990	1,644	1,420	340	669	763	1,121	211	833	978	...	103	371	...	...	11	39	380	2	13	12,163
Sugarcane	97	73	102	32	2	...	...	10	24	2	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	84	3	3	451
Wheat	57,142	92,158	142,010	84,274	52,839	8,523	11,185	44,292	67,813	21,353	58,015	42,957	98	9,415	5,756	1,813	2,459	3,973	20,117	93	47	726,332	
Barley	3,066	5,416	19,724	12,695	17,208	9,889	3,805	12,378	36,933	16,764	49,783	65,707	60	1,780	758	162	253	1,296	3,951	23	...	261,602	
Oats	503	6	322	199	5	...	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	313	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,358	
Chena	1	...	14	258	1,059	52	83	389	423	9	482	51	...	36	...	...	...	...	...	98	...	2,955	
Other Grains*	95	112	1,397	3,627	696	...	8	294	827	2,104	405	2,095	...	...	...	30	...	...	...	1	26	11,717	
Mixed "	794	164	1,447	6,438	20,533	9,085	9,416	12,619	2,869	145	2,403	763	44	8,538	65	124	505	2,852	9,766	187	1,073	86,519	
Gram	1,109	2,887	4,924	4,585	3,786	9,883	5,914	1,886	2,710	145	2,403	763	120	7,970	148	...	28	94	321	96	...	49,842	
Peas	35	2,793	5,865	6,655	1,500	...	...	1,115	264	39	1,747	1,615	...	...	13	...	2	30	169	...	...	21,846	
Pulses	...	374	654	52	129	188	49	146	79	12	113	5	...	141	...	1	...	22	166	...	4	2,134	
Arhar	...	...	...	...	90	...	...	32	14	...	...	...	...	...	100	4	...	133	395	16	...	3,436	
Masur	575	926	1,100	33	14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	724	
Fodder crops	66	224	320	99	14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,679	
Fibres,	28	182	607	481	262	36	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	
Other fibres	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	
Dyes,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	427	
Indigo	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14,184	
Other dyes	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	40,9	
Opium	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,318	
Drugs,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21	
Other drugs	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Oil Seeds	496	115	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Miscellaneous†	578	924	309	191	665	76	145	211	1,391	173	1,061	319	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,111	
Total 1881-82	65,327	106,984	180,734	121,785	100,340	38,117	31,319	74,667	118,211	44,869	121,279	117,115	322	28,106	8,138	2,137	3,370	8,555	36,619	529	1,300	1,209,823	
Total 1880-81	47,420	77,303	121,184	106,389	93,731	47,683	27,884	57,987	101,512	40,307	114,535	124,883	487	31,054	6,867	2,041	3,846	8,476	22,663	315	442	1,032,019	

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\* Rice.  
† Fato and crops insufficiently irrigated.

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IRRIGATION OPERATIONS OF FASL RABI, 1881-82.  
Statement in Acres of Crops irrigated by Canals in Canal Divisions.

	GANGES CANAL.						LOWER GANGES CANAL.						BUNDERSHAND IRRIGATION WORKS.				GRAND TOTAL.		
	Northern.	Anupshahr.	Meerut.	Bulandshahr.	Aligarh.	Total.	Narora.	Mainpuri.	Cawnpore.	Etawah.	Bhognipur.	Total.	Eastern Canal.	Aggra Canal.	Rohilkhand Canals.	Dun Canals.		Jhansi.	Hamirpur.
Gardens and Orchards	278	596	809	1,472	2,388	5,543	91	515	974	1,107	362	3,049	1,688	1,067	430	371	2	13	...
Sugarcane	98	81	52	39	3	264	6	26	...	...	6	38	86	...	97	...	...	3	...
Wheat	44,465	49,158	75,910	77,965	74,370	321,868	16,947	47,380	38,400	83,726	23,647	210,109	131,891	28,206	26,549	5,756	53	47	1,813
Barley	2,591	5,947	19,296	9,198	25,891	62,923	4,413	18,715	57,001	72,557	20,522	173,208	3,610	16,417	5,500	798	24	...	162
Oats	...	...	305	213	15	533	...	...	...	...	...	...	512	...	...	313	...	...	...
Chena	...	8	11	26	2,007	2,052	...	93	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	98	...	...
Other grains*	...	23	110	5,164	340	5,637	...	645	4,346	486	2	5,479	540	...	...	...	...	26	30
Mixed "	...	4,063	58	...	36,603	40,724	3,619	...	...	...	...	3,619	903	26,701	13,123	65	187	1,073	124
Grain	2,344	1,063	1,693	4,599	4,539	14,238	652	1,210	243	1,920	2,606	6,631	4,451	23,715	443	148	96	...	...
Peas	1,235	10,604	...	3,316	...	15,655	...	...	1,345	2,320	...	3,665	2,312	...	201	13	...	...	...
Arhar	...	34	985	99	162	1,280	78	77	12	10	110	287	...	375	188	...	...	4	1
Masur	...	39	141	58	130	368	...	6	...	...	...	6	2,396	...	546	100	16	...	4
Fodder Crops	...	1	11	146	14	290	...	...	...	...	...	...	433	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fibres,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cotton	...	6	...	...	...	914	...	3	...	...	...	...	656	...	...	...	1	13	...
Other fibres	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dyes,	...	3	4	...	...	7	...	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Indigo	...	1	414	12	...	427	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other dyes	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,680	7,226	936	14,086	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Opium	...	...	...	...	97	97	254	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Drugs,	...	...	...	...	231	346	11	3,026	42	93	20	3,192	...	74	133	252	...	21	...
Other drugs	...	...	...	...	...	138	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	4	1,334	362	...	...	...
Oil seeds	138	...	...	...	...	2,477	...	...	...	...	...	...	474	...	...	...	5	...	...
Miscellaneous†	1,030	...	8	218	1,221	2,477	81	583	393	522	1,032	2,611	735	282	...	...	6	...	...
TOTAL 1881-82	52,192	72,094	99,601	103,543	143,317	475,747	26,152	72,288	108,454	169,967	49,772	426,633	150,689	96,106	48,544	8,138	529	1,300	2,137
TOTAL 1880-81	27,090	49,317	59,152	87,107	136,407	359,073	16,033	58,966	111,711	171,540	41,251	399,501	128,408	105,378	29,985	6,867	315	442	2,041

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\* Rice, maize, bajra, jwar.  
† Pulses and crops insufficiently irrigated.



GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.  
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.  
RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION.

TRADE OF THE COUNTRY TO BE TRAVERSED BY THE PROJECTED LINE OF  
RAILWAY BETWEEN SITARAMPUR ON THE EAST INDIAN RAILWAY AND  
NAGPUR ON THE GREAT INDIAN PENINSULA RAILWAY.

*Extract from the Proceedings of the Governor General in Council in the Public Works Department, No. 700 R. C., dated Simla, the 16th August 1882.*

Read the following papers :—

Note drawn up in the office of the Secretary, Revenue and Agricultural department, on the projected line of Railway from Sitarampur to Nagpur.

The proposed railway from Sitarampur to Nagpur will probably pass through the following districts :—

Districts through which it will pass.	Manbhum,	} Bengal,
	Lohardaga,	
	Chhota Nagpur Tributary States,	} Central Provinces,
	Raipur, Bilaspur,	

and will eventually join the Nagpur-Chhattisgarh Railway. These districts, however, do not adequately represent the area the resources of which it will open and the trade of which it will absorb, for through hundreds of miles on either side of the proposed line runs no navigable river or highway of commerce. The district of Singhbhum in Bengal and Sambalpur in the Central Provinces, with the Feudatory States attached to them, will also come under its influence.

2. A large part of this country never acknowledged the supremacy of the Hindu or Muhammadan sovereigns of Hindustan, and only thirty years ago it was marked on the English maps of India as the "Unexplored Regions." It is still, therefore, nearly as much a virgin soil for civilised man as the primæval forests on our north-east frontier. Immense tracts of culturable land still lie uncultivated, and the proposed railway is expected to give a great stimulus to its being brought under the plough—an operation already fast progressing owing to press of population in the regulation districts surrounding it on all sides.

3. Under these circumstances, the resources of the country through which the railway is to pass cannot, with any degree of accuracy, be measured by the data its present condition affords. Nor are the data now available anything but conjectural; for, except in the matter of population, no effectual attempt to obtain reliable statistics tending to throw light on the condition of the people and the country was ever made; and as is generally the case under such circumstances, the estimates made diffidently always fall much below the actual facts. No instance of this kind more strikingly proves the tendency to under-estimate estimates as the one about the population of the Lower Provinces previous to the general enumeration of 1872; nobody ever ventured to estimate it at more than 40 millions, which was, however, 50 per cent. below the actual number. The figures given in this note must, therefore, be taken with caution, and as giving only a rough idea of the subject.

4. Besides the passenger traffic which this line may expect from its being the direct line from Calcutta to Bombay, it can count upon a progressive goods traffic fed by three classes of country produce,—agricultural, forest and mineral. The following

statement shows the amount of agricultural produce that may annually be available for export :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
NAME OF DISTRICT.	Total area in acres.	Total cultivated area in acres.	Total produce in maunds.	Total population.	Amount consumed as food at 5 maunds per head	Seed, cattle-food, waste-age and other deductions at 3 maunds per acre.	Balance available for export in maunds.	Total culturable areas still lying waste.	Rate of produce per acre on which calculation is based in column 4.
Hazaribagh . . .	4,403,440	1,318,912	92,32,384	771,875	38,59,375	39,56,738	14,16,273	2,940,467	7
Manbhum . . .	3,149,140	1,812,800	1,26,89,600	995,670	49,77,850	54,38,400	22,73,350	801,000	7
Lohardaga . . .	7,708,160	2,823,738	1,97,66,166	1,237,123	61,85,615	84,71,214	61,09,337	2,570,000	7
Singhbhum . . .	2,494,080	635,648	38,13,888	416,023	20,75,115	19,06,944	—1,68,171	1,136,640	6
Chhota Nagpur Tributary States . . .	9,868,160	1,973,632	98,68,160	405,980	20,29,000	59,20,896	19,17,364	3,289,386	5
Raipur . . .	7,606,400	2,324,044	2,32,40,440	1,093,405	54,67,025	69,72,132	1,08,01,283	2,791,040	10
Bilaspur . . .	4,990,720	1,528,460	91,73,760	715,398	35,76,990	45,86,880	10,09,890	1,029,760	6
Sambalpur . . .	2,820,480	720,000	43,20,000	523,034	26,15,170	21,60,000	—4,55,170	668,320	6
Central Provinces Tributary States . . .	6,550,680	2,400,000	1,44,00,000	823,723	41,18,615	72,00,000	30,81,385	2,327,680	6
TOTAL . . .	49,690,600	15,537,734	10,65,04,398	6,081,131	3,40,05,655	4,66,13,202	2,49,55,541	17,455,183	

5. Of course it is idle to expect that the whole of the agricultural produce shown above as available for export will find its way to the railway. The country is so much cut up by hills and ravines, and so much wanting in good roads, that some time will elapse before its trade will reach the normal standard of a British province. In an agricultural country like India, an inland province may be said to have arrived at such a standard if it can send out with profit at least three-fourths of its surplus produce. Even North-Western Provinces and Oudh, with its network of roads, railways and navigable rivers, have not yet attained such an efficiency in means of communications; for we find that its railways, which monopolise almost all its external traffic, carried in 1879-80 only 14 millions of maunds of agricultural produce out of a total annual surplus of about 50 millions. The proportion must, therefore, be much less in this central tableland.

6. But this advantage will be more than compensated by the ample room which agricultural operations have for expansion in this part of the country. Seventeen millions of acres of arable land, or an area larger by two millions of acres than that at present under cultivation, still lie waste, and there can be no doubt that a large part of it will come under the plough as soon as an outlet for the produce is found.\* Every encouragement is given to cultivators for taking up new lands; for three years no rent whatever is assessed, and after that time a small amount of progressive rent is fixed. In this way the cultivation is increasing year by year, and would have increased more had not the country been drained of a portion of its enterprising youths to meet the requirements of the tea gardens of Assam, Kachar, Sylhet and Darjiling. In some parts of the tableland the wasteful system of cultivation, known as the *jum*, is practised, in which fresh forest land is cleared every two or three years, allowing the one previously cultivated to relapse to its former state of wildness. This reckless system of agriculture signifies only the existence of an extraordinary amount of spare land in the country.

7. The principal crops cultivated are the same as in other parts of Bengal and the Central Provinces; rice being the staple crop, with a fair proportion of pulses and oil-seeds. The western part of the plateau grows wheat, barley, Indian-corn, jowar (*Sorghum vulgare*), china (*Panicum italicum*), and other millets. Cotton has

\* "Fertile lands," write the officers appointed for collecting information for the Famine Commission, "in almost countless acres, lie waiting to be cultivated, which will afford other staples of food besides the treacherous rice." Central Provinces Famine Report, page 94:—I myself can vouch for the fertility of the soil. In 1865 we took up a large area of land outside the Manbhum town, and after removing the stones that were lying scattered upon it, scratched the ground with the country plough (which here is still lighter than an ordinary country plough) and sowed mung (*phaseolus mungo*) on it. No other care was bestowed upon it, but the result was a bumper crop.



found a congenial home in the Lohardaga and Singhbhum districts and in the black soil of Chhattisgarh, and, as in Bombay, the American war contributed greatly towards the extension of its cultivation. The area under sugarcane is also increasing, and it is said to grow luxuriantly in Gangpar, a tributary State in the Chhota Nagpur Division, from which a large quantity of molasses is exported. A fine quality of tobacco is also grown, chiefly for home consumption, and a large quantity of silk is produced from domesticated *tasar* worms. Tea-planting has been introduced in the Hazaribagh and Lohardaga districts, and the soil is said to be suited for coffee also. Owing to extensive areas of pasture land existing in the country, large quantities of ghi are produced, which are exported to Calcutta. The following figures show the acreage under different crops in districts for which information is available:—

	Raipur.	Sambalpur.	Bilaspur.	Manbhum
Rice . . . . .	1,217,853	578,609	732,487	768,000
Wheat . . . . .	240,966	...	64,154	6,400
Other food . . . . .	535,789	63,717	278,424	416,000
Oil-seeds . . . . .	168,273	34,563	78,213	32,000
Sugarcane . . . . .	25,740	7,349	7,012	44,000
Cotton . . . . .	81,343	35,482	29,502	64,000
Fibres . . . . .	1,466	...	1,044	32,000
Tobacco . . . . .	37,311	...	3,074	19,200
Vegetables . . . . .	4,886	...	3,109	3,200
Others . . . . .	10,417	...	...	...

8. The trade is entirely in the hands of the banjaras, who penetrate to the utmost recesses of the wild country through roads "which," Captain Blunt wrote in 1795, "nothing but the most indefatigable industry could induce him to attempt, and where the straitness of the paths and defiles barely affords a passage for him and his bullocks." Owing to absence of the facilities of export, they find here an inexhaustible supply of grain at cheap rates which they exchange for salt, piece-goods, &c. Trade statistics are not available; but during the year 1880-81 the total trade of the three towns in Chhattisgarh, *viz.*, Raipur, Nandgaon, and Dongargarh, amounted to imports Rs. 46,35,000, exports Rs. 55,72,000, total Rs. 1,02,07,000. The whole of the import trade, which consists chiefly of piece-goods, hardware and salt, will probably be carried by the railway. The annual consumption of salt, at the rate of one-tenth of a maund per head of population, amounts to more than 6,98,000 maunds.

9. The following statement shows the prices (retail) prevailing at the head-quarters of the different districts through which the proposed railway is to pass compared with those prevailing in Calcutta on the one side, and Nagpur on the other:—

*Number of seers per rupee of the following articles on 15th April 1882.*

NAME OF ARTICLE.	Calcutta.	Hazari- bagh.	Man- bhum.	Lohar- daga.	Sing- bhum.	Raipur.	Bilaspur.	Sam- balpur.	Nagpur.
Wheat . . . . .	14- <sup>2</sup> / <sub>16</sub>	16	15- <sup>8</sup> / <sub>16</sub>	19	24	40	54	27	19 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>
Barley . . . . .	26 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	27	34	30	32	...	...	...	...
Common rice . . . . .	20	22	34	26	40	46	52	54	17- <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>
Gram . . . . .	24 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	21	20	20	24	43	60	25	24 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>
Salt (wholesale) . . . . .	16	11	11	10	10	4- <sup>5</sup> / <sub>16</sub>	...	4- <sup>5</sup> / <sub>16</sub>	3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>

In the interior of the districts, the wholesale prices at which traders purchase grain are necessarily much cheaper than those shown in the above statement.

10. Various kinds of forest products are found in the jungles, some of which are of great economical value. Jungle roots, leaves, flowers, and fruits afford food to the lower classes for about three months in the year. Fibrous plants are found suitable



for making ropes, and grass for paper. Many kinds of timber, particularly the valuable sál (*shorea robusta*), the ebony and the sisu (*Dalbergia latifolia*), rot in the forests for want of facilities of export. Attempts were made to float them down the rivers, but the difficulties and expenses were too heavy to pay. Nipal formerly supplied sál timber to Lower Bengal, but since the stoppage of this supply a few years ago, Burma teak has taken its place. But even this supply, which is chiefly drawn from the Shan and Karen country in Upper Burma, is said to be getting scarcer day by day. The proposed railway will therefore open a new timber-country, which will probably be able to take possession of this trade until the Government reserved forests in other parts of the country grow up. Sál trees are at present girdled for the extraction of resin, which operation very much deteriorates the value as timber. The dyeing material found in the country consists of the different kinds of myrobalans (*terminalia chebula* and *bellerica*), amla (*emblica officinalis*), gall nuts, khayer (*acacia catechu*) and barks of several trees.\* Now, the demand for myrobalans is large both for use in this country as well as for export to Europe.

Australia is also beginning to be a purchaser of this article. Another valuable tree abounds in the jungle, the mahua (*Bassia latifolia*), the wood of which is used for building purposes, the flowers as a nutritious food by the people, and from which the country spirits are distilled, and the seeds yield an oil used for burning, as well as in adulterating ghi, which article it very much resembles. Jungle products chiefly exported are lac, tasar silk, bees-wax, mahua flower, myrobalans, gall nuts, resin, catechu, &c.

11. The country is very rich in minerals. Coal exists in several places.

Mineral products.

Iron is found in nodular form in most of the hill ranges, and is smelted in a rude way by the people. Copper was formerly worked, but now abandoned. Gold-dust is found in the sands of the rivers, and has probably given name to the river Subarnarekha, or the "golden streak," and a class of people subsist by washing for it. The other mineral products are lead, limestone, slate, potstone, red ochres, &c.

No. 2314—129, dated Nagpur, 28th June 1882.

From—A. H. L. FRASER, Esq., Offg. Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Central Provinces,  
To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Revenue and Agricultural Department.

I am directed to acknowledge receipt of your letter No. 480 A., dated 25th ultimo, and to submit the annexed Note on the advantages likely to be derived from the proposed railway through Chota Nagpur and the Central Provinces.

2. I am, however, to say that, except perhaps that the greater proximity of Calcutta to the eastern portions of the Chhattisgarh Division may increase the advantages of the through line to them, the advantages indicated in this Note are all likely to accrue to the districts of that division from the Nagpur and Chhattisgarh Railway already taken in hand by this Administration. It is his firm conviction of the reality of these advantages which has induced the Chief Commissioner to devote so much energy to the prosecution of that undertaking.

3. Copy of the returns of traffic for two weeks on the Nagpur and Chhattisgarh State Railway (open as far as Amgaon) are submitted for facility of reference, as showing the present trade on the line.

#### Note.

The proposed railway from Sitarampur to Nagpur will probably pass through the following districts of the Central Provinces, viz., Sambalpur,

\* I myself have seen (in 1865) the terminalia fruits lying unheeded thickly under the trees in the Chhota Nagpur jungles.

Bilaspur, Raipur, and Bhandara. Of Bhandara there is little that need be said. The head-quarters town of that district is only 40 miles from Nagpur. There is no doubt that the agriculture and commerce of this district will benefit from the extension of the line of rail through it. But the benefits to be derived by it will be small indeed compared with those to be derived by the districts of Raipur and Bilaspur. It is the importance of opening up these two districts and meeting the trade requirements of the Chhattisgarh Division that led the Chief Commissioner to push on the Nagpur and Chhattisgarh State Railway, and it is the traffic of this part of the country that will make the proposed railway from Sitarampur to Nagpur pay, as far as the Central Provinces are concerned. The benefits which will accrue to Sambalpur will no doubt also be considerable. But it is impossible to procure at present any statistics on which an accurate estimate of these benefits can be based. It is difficult, too, to estimate how far the railway may supersede the river traffic from Sambalpur. Further, very much of the trade of Sambalpur passes through Bilaspur and Raipur, and it cannot well be treated of separately.

2. Raipur is the largest district in the Central Provinces; and Bilaspur is the third, Chanda with the Sironcha Sub-Division being the second. The following figures for these two districts are interesting. They are extracted from the last Central Provinces Administration Report:—

	AREA IN SQUARE MILES.				Population.	REVENUE.	
	Cultivated.	Culturable.	Unculturable	TOTAL.		Land.	Gross.
						Rs.	Rs.
Raipur . . . . .	3,553	4,420	3,912	11,885	1,093,405	6,49,255	9,07,833
Bilaspur . . . . .	2,429	1,569	3,800	7,798	715,398	2,80,661	3,98,676

The figures given above under the head "Population" are those of the census of 1872. The figures of last census show the population of the two districts to be 1,405,171 and 1,017,327 respectively.

3. One other set of figures may be extracted from the last Administration Report, *viz.*, the following figures from the Price Current:—

		Wheat.		Gram.		Common rice.	
		Srs.	Chks.	Srs.	Chks.	Srs.	Chks.
Jubbulpore . . . . .	{ 1879-80	11	0	12	8	12	8
	{ 1880-81	18	0	20	0	16	0
Nagpur . . . . .	{ 1879-80	10	4	10	0	9	12
	{ 1880-81	14	4	14	12	11	8
Raipur . . . . .	{ 1879-80	22	8	16	0	20	0
	{ 1880-81	27	0	23	0	23	8
Bilaspur . . . . .	{ 1879-80	22	0	22	0	28	0
	{ 1880-81	32	0	32	0	39	0

This gives for the last two years the number of seers per rupee in the two districts of Raipur and Bilaspur as compared with the number in the two nearest railway districts; and it shows how, especially in the case of wheat and rice, the prices in Chhattisgarh rule exceedingly low owing to the want of easy communication.

4. As to trade, the returns show that the average export of the principal articles of produce of the two districts from 1864 to 1868 was—

	Wheat.	Rice.	Other grains.	Oil seeds.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Raipur . . . . .	314,487	170,296	78,937	29,908
Bilaspur . . . . .	58,957	218,047	6,651	195
Total Maunds .	373,444	388,343	85,588	30,103
Total Tons. .	13,831	14,383	3,169	1,115

making a total of 32,498 tons, the greater part of which went to Nagpur. The average for the three years 1873—1876 was—

	Wheat.	Rice.	Other grains.	Oil seeds.
Maunds	388,124	413,316	192,345	355,514
Tons	14,375	15,511	7,123	13,167

making a total of 50,176 tons, being an increase of about 54 per cent. in eight years. It is to be borne in mind that this trade was carried on bullock carts or pack bullocks making a journey of, say about two months (going and returning) to the exporting ryots. In later years the figures for different districts are not given; but the export trade of the Central Provinces has greatly increased, and there is no doubt that the Chhattisgarh Division has its fair share of the increase.

5. The inequality of prices still existing shows the possibilities of development in the trade in these articles. Mr. Chisholm, in his settlement report on the Bilaspur District, mentions extraordinary instances of the increase of cultivation under the influence of increased demand for agricultural produce. The response made by the Chhattisgarh Division to the calls on it in the famine years give evidence to the same effect. And in view of the large amount of land still uncultivated in the two districts immediately under consideration, and of the inferior methods pursued in the cultivated area, the Chief Commissioner does not consider that Mr. J. F. K. Hewitt (Commissioner of Chota Nagpur, formerly Settlement Officer, Raipur) was too sanguine when he wrote, "Considering the fertility of the soil of Chhattisgarh, the patience and steady industry of its inhabitants, and the spirit of enterprise among them, already shewn by the large trade carried on under very great difficulties, I have no hesitation in saying that the trade would, within a year or two after the opening of the railway, reach a total of two or three hundred thousand tons a year, and that it would yearly increase."

6. The trade in lac and hides, gur and tussur cocoons is considerable and capable of large increase. The import trade, specially in salt, is very large, even now. It is bound to increase as the country is opened out and the circumstances of the people improve.

7. The forests of Bilaspur and Raipur have been found to be very valuable. Mr. Thomson, a Deputy Conservator of great experience, has recently reported very favourably of them. They are capable of great development, and are likely to become very profitable.

8. The advantages of the railway may be briefly summed up as follows:—

- (1) A great granary would be opened out for the supply of the ordinary market and for the prompt relief of any famine-stricken part of India.
- (2) Chhattisgarh would be delivered from the fear of famine.
- (3) A fertile country eminently fitted for colonization would be opened up.
- (4) Facilities for profitable manufactures would be afforded.
- (5) The land revenue would be greatly increased.
- (6) The line would undoubtedly be profitable as an investment.



## NAGPUR AND CHHATTISGARH STATE RAILWAY.

*Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 3rd June 1882 on 98 miles open.*

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).	TOTAL EARNINGS.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchan- dise.	TOTAL.
Total traffic for the week . . . . .	11,414	Rs. A. P. 4,363 8 6	Mds. S. 108,841 0	Rs. A. P. 12,638 6 0	Rs. A. P. 28 0 0	Rs. A. P. 17,029 14 6	1,250	2,724	3,974
Or per mile of Railway (98 miles) . . . . .	...	44 8 5	...	128 15 5	0 4 7	173 12 5	...	...	...
For previous 21 weeks of half-year . . . . .	249,993	59,203 15 0	2,502,842 30	3,01,936 6 4	1,993 13 10	3,63,134 3 2	21,661	75,483	97,144
TOTAL FOR 22 WEEKS . . . . .	261,407	63,567 7 6	2,611,683 30	3,14,574 12 4	2,021 13 10	3,80,164 1 8	22,911	78,207	101,118
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year . . . . .	10,068	2,076 8 3	58,380 30	4,280 9 0	47 6 0	6,404 7 3	573	1,552	2,125
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year (86 miles) . . . . .	...	31 7 5	...	64 13 8	0 11 6	97 0 7	...	...	...
TOTAL TO CORRESPONDING DATE OF PREVIOUS YEAR . . . . .	189,987	36,540 4 0	1,798,175 10	91,646 4 1	430 8 0	1,28,617 0 1	13,843	25,634	39,477

NAGPUR;  
10th June 1882.F. L. BROWN,  
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NAGPUR AND CHHATTISGARH STATE RAILWAY.  
Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 10th June 1882 on 98 miles open.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (estimated).		TOTAL EARNINGS.		TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.	
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Total traffic for the week										
Or per mile of Railway (98 miles)	10,976	2,701 0 9	73,369 0	8,433 1 0	30	7	6	11,164	9	3
For previous 22 weeks of half-year	261,407	63,567 7 6	2,611,082 30	3,14,574 12 4	2,021	13	10	3,80,164	1	8
TOTAL FOR 23 WEEKS	272,383	66,268 8 3	2,685,052 30	3,23,007 13 4	2,052	5	4	3,91,328	10	11
COMPARISON.										
Total for corresponding week of previous year	8,610	1,602 7 9	77,380 30	2,642 5 8	23	0	0	4,267	13	5
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year (53 miles)	...	30 3 9	.....	49 13 8	0	6	11	80	8	4
TOTAL TO CORRESPONDING DATE OF PREVIOUS YEAR	198,507	38,142 11 9	1,875,556 0	94,288 9 9	453	8	0	1,32,884	13	6

NAGPUR, 17th June 1882.

F. L. BROWN,  
Examiner, State Railway Accounts, Central Provinces.

No. 717A., dated Simla, 24th July 1882.  
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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.  
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.  
RAILWAY STORES.

LIST OF TENDERS ACCEPTED BY THE PORT STOREKEEPER OF THE STATE RAILWAY DEPARTMENT AT CALCUTTA, FOR THE SUPPLY OF STORES FOR STATE RAILWAYS, DURING THE OFFICIAL YEAR 1882-83.

*Extract from the Proceedings of the Governor General in Council in the Public Works Department, No. 192 R. S., dated Simla, the 17th August 1882.*

Read the following list :—

NAMES OF ARTICLES.	Rate delivered at Railway Station.	Per	REMARKS.	Tender accepted.
Acid, carbolic	0 1 9	lb	...	Messrs. Shyama Charan Bhaduri and Co.
" muriatic	0 6 0	"	...	" Raj Kisto Dass and Co.
" sulphuric	0 0 9	"	...	" Ditto.
Alkanut root	0 3 6	"	...	" Jogin Chunder Ghose and Co.
Alum	0 1 3	"	...	" Ditto.
Ammonia, spirit of	12 12 0	gallon	...	" Raj Kisto Dass and Co.
Antimony	0 3 0	lb	...	" Shib Kisto Daw and Co.
Aquafortis	0 12 0	gallon	...	" Raj Coomar Mullick and Co.
Asphalt	2 3 0	cwt.	...	" Banerjee and Co.
Bags, gunny	...	100	Not accepted.	
Baskets, ballast, bamboo	7 0 0	100	...	" Kadar Nath Ghose.
" cane	11 6 0	100	...	" Raj Coomar Mullick and Co.
" coke, cane	19 0 0	100	...	" Poorna Chunder Coomar and Co.
" bamboo	6 8 0	100	...	" Gungadhar Banerjee and Co.
" office, cane 15" x 10" x 3½"	0 11 9	each	...	" Joy Kissen Chunder and Co.
" waste paper	0 8 0	"	...	" Ditto.
Belts, guards' leather, with pouches, whistles and chains	7 0 0	"	...	" Sigg Sulzer and Co.
Belts, guards' leather, without pouches, whistles and chains	2 12 0	"	...	" Ditto.
Belts, chaprassies, cloth	0 7 0	"	...	" Raj Kisto Dass and Co.
Belting, leather, best, country, single	...	lb	} See detailed list annexed.	
" " " double	...	"		
" " " treble	...	"		
Bismuth	560 0 0	cwt.	...	" Raj Coomar Mullick and Co.
Bones, cuttlefish, whole pieces	0 7 0	lb	...	" Shib Kisto Daw and Co.
Borax, common, or sohaga	11 0 0	cwt.	...	" Jogin Chunder Ghose and Co.
" refined	19 4 0	"	...	" Ditto.
Bricks, Bath	0 7 0	12	...	" Bhola Nath Mookerjee and Co.
" fire, best	8 12 0	100	...	" Ahmuty and Co.
Brooms, country	1 12 0	cwt.	...	" Raj Coomar Mullick and Co.
Buckets, fire, leather	4 0 0	each	...	" Sigg Sulzer and Co.
" iron, galvanized, medium size	9 0 0	12	...	" Ahmuty and Co.
Bullahs, saul	0 3 0	L. ft. to 0-5-0	...	" Poorna Chunder Coomar and Co.
" soondree	0 2 0	"	...	" Ditto.
Bunting, white	0 5 9	yard	...	" Bhola Nath Mookerjee and Co.
" red	0 5 9	"	...	" Ditto.
" green	0 5 9	"	...	" Ditto.
Camphor	0 10 6	lb.	...	" Ditto.
Cane or rattan, picked	8 0 0	cwt.	...	" Jogin Chunder Ghose and Co.
Canvas, country	0 2 9	sq. yd.	...	" Bhola Nath Mookerjee and Co.
Case, flags, signal, leather	...	each	} Not accepted.	
" tin	...	"		
Catgut	1 1 9	lb.	...	" Bhola Nath Mookerjee and Co.
Cement, Roman	5 8 0	cwt.	...	" Ujoodahprosad and Juggernauth.
Chalk, white	1 2 0	"	...	" Bhola Nath Mookerjee and Co.
Chairs, office, armed	4 8 0	each	...	" Jogin Chunder Ghose and Co.
" plain	2 8 0	"	...	" Ditto.
Chloride of lime	26 0 0	cwt.	...	" Kadar Nath Ghose and Co.
Clay, fire, best	2 2 0	"	...	" Bhola Nath Mookerjee and Co.
Cloth, cotton dungree, 18" wide	0 1 6	yard	...	" Jogin Chunder Ghose and Co.
Coal, rubble, country	...	ton	} Not accepted.	
" smithy	...	"		
" steam	...	"		
Coke	...	"		
" English	...	"		
Copper scissel	52 15 0	cwt.	...	" Bhola Nath Mookerjee and Co.
Coir, loose	6 4 0	"	...	" Raj Coomar Mullick and Co.
Cumblies, woollen, coarse	1 4 0	each	...	" Raj Kisto Dass and Co.
" fine	1 10 0	"	...	" Joy Kissen Chunder and Co.
Dammer	2 4 9	cwt.	...	" Ditto.
Dhaws (native hatchets)	0 8 0	each	...	" Ahmuty and Co.
Dusters, cotton, common	0 12 9	doz.	...	" Jogin Chunder Ghose and Co.
Emery cloth, of sorts	0 8 0	quire	...	" Ram Chunder Dutt and Co.
" four	0 3 9	lb.	...	" Shib Kisto Daw and Co.
" powder	0 3 6	"	...	" Ditto.
Erasers, ink, Faber's	1 8 0	doz.	...	" Gungadhar Banerjee and Co.
Ether, spirit of	12 0 0	gallon	...	" Raj Kisto Dass and Co.
Feeder, oil, conical	0 8 0	each	...	" Ahmuty and Co.
" ordinary	0 3 0	"	...	" Raj Kisto Dass and Co.
" spring	1 0 0	"	...	" Ditto.
Felt, dry	0 9 0	piece	...	" Jogin Chunder Ghose and Co.
" tarred, in pieces	0 4 6	"	...	" Ditto.
" in rolls	0 8 6	yard	...	" Ditto.
Flags, pointmen's, bunting, green	5 4 0	12	...	" Ahmuty and Co.
" " " red	5 4 0	12	...	" Ditto.



NAMES OF ARTICLES.	Rate delivered at Railway Station.	Per	REMARKS.	Tender accepted.
Flags, pointsman's, bunting, white	5 4 0	12	...	Messrs. Ahmuty and Co.
Flax, dressed, best	11 0 0	cwt.	...	Ditto.
Fuze, blasting, 300 coils in cask	...	cask	Not accepted.	...
Gold leaf	8 4 0	12 books	...	Bhola Nath Mookerjee and Co.
Gongs, bell-metal	0 13 3	lb.	...	Ujoodahprosad and Juggernauth.
Glass panes, of sizes, white	0 1 10	sq. ft.	...	Gungadthur Banerjee and Co.
red	0 3 0	"	...	Ditto.
green	0 3 0	"	...	Ditto.
Glue, common	0 4 0	lb.	...	Shib Kristo Daw and Co.
best, China	0 5 6	"	...	Ujoodahprosad and Juggernauth.
Gum, Arabic, picked	0 4 6	"	...	Gungadthur Banerjee and Co.
Handles, adze, ash	2 4 0	12	...	Ujoodahprosad and Juggernauth.
beater or pickaxe	2 13 0	12	...	Ditto.
scoondree	1 13 0	12	...	Ditto.
hammer, large ash	2 13 0	12	...	Ditto.
small ash	2 4 0	12	...	Ahmuty and Co.
Hemp, dressed best	14 8 0	cwt.	...	Gungadthur Banerjee and Co.
Jute teasings	6 7 0	"	...	Ujoodahprosad and Juggernauth.
Khus-khus	2 13 0	"	...	Sigg Sulzer and Co.
Laces, leather, belting	0 14 0	lb.	...	Ditto.
Leather, in hides, tanned, country	0 14 0	"	...	Gungadthur Banerjee and Co.
Litharge	0 3 6	cwt.	...	Degumber Dass.
Marline, tarred	16 4 0	sq. ft.	...	Gungadthur Banerjee and Co.
Matting, bamboo	0 1 6	sq. ft.	...	Ditto.
cane	0 5 0	"	Not accepted.	...
China, full size	...	piece	Not accepted.	Ahmuty and Co.
coir	0 12 0	sq. yd.	Not accepted.	...
Moats, leather	9 15 0	cwt.	...	Bhola Nath Mookerjee and Co.
Oakum, picked	11 0 0	"	...	Soresh Chunder Paul and Co.
Oil, castor	13 0 0	"	...	Ditto.
cocoanut	1 0 0	gallon	...	Bhola Nath Mookerjee and Co.
earth petroleum	0 15 6	"	...	Ujoodahprosad and Juggernauth.
gurjon	0 12 0	"	...	Bhola Nath Mookerjee and Co.
neat's foot	4 7 0	case	...	Gungadthur Banerjee and Co.
kerosine, Devree's best	2 0 0	gallon	...	Ahmuty and Co.
linseed, boiled, English	1 14 0	"	...	Ditto.
" raw	1 14 0	"	...	Ditto.
" boiled, country	1 12 0	"	...	Ditto.
" raw	8 0 0	cwt.	...	Kadar Nath Ghose and Co.
Paint, red, Clpherts (oxide of iron)	0 8 0	quire	...	Ahmuty and Co.
Paper, sand or glass	1 1 0	sq. yd.	...	Ditto.
Paulins, oiled	0 14 0	"	...	Ujoodahprosad and Juggernauth.
tarred	0 8 0	each	...	Kadar Nath Ghose and Co.
Pots, drinking, iron, enamelled	0 1 4	cwt.	...	Raj Kisto Dass and Co.
tin	80 10 0	"	...	Ram Chunder Dutt and Co.
Potash, country	...	"	No tender received.	...
Powder, blasting	12 0 0	"	...	Ahmuty and Co.
disinfecting	14 0 0	"	...	Banerjee and Co.
Pumice stones, whole pieces	0 8 0	12	...	Ahmuty and Co.
Rings, gauge, glass, India-rubber, of sizes	14 0 0	cwt.	...	Ditto.
Rope, coir, 1" to 1 1/2"	14 0 0	"	...	Ditto.
" 2" to 8"	20 0 0	"	...	Ditto.
hemp, dry, 1" to 1 1/2"	19 0 0	"	...	Ditto.
" 2" to 8"	18 0 0	"	...	Ditto.
tarred, 1" to 1 1/2"	17 0 0	"	...	Ditto.
" 2" to 8"	30 0 0	"	...	Ditto.
Manilla 1" to 1 1/2"	29 0 0	"	...	Ditto.
" 2" to 8"	14 8 0	each to 16-8-0	...	Ditto.
tail, with hooks	5 13 0	cwt.	...	Joy Kissen Chunder and Co.
Rosin	3 11 6	"	Not accepted.	...
Rotton stone	10 6 0	"	...	Bhola Nath Mookerjee and Co.
Sajimatti, or fuller's earth	34 7 0	"	...	Joy Kissen Chunder and Co.
Saltpetre	5 0 0	ton	...	Ujoodahprosad and Juggernauth.
Salammoniac	5 8 0	cwt.	...	Raj Coomar Mullick and Co.
Sand, moulders, best, country	2 12 0	12	...	Shyama Charan Bhaduri and Co.
Shells, oyster	1 0 0	each	...	Ahmuty and Co.
Signal, fog, in tin cases of 12	12 0 0	cwt.	...	Jogin Chunder Ghose and Co.
Skins, wash, or chamois leather	12 0 0	"	...	Bhola Nath Mookerjee and Co.
Soap, bar, country	17 7 0	"	...	Patitpaban Mittra and Auditt
soft	...	"	...	Chundra Bose.
in cakes	0 10 6	dozen	...	Raj Kisto Dass and Co.
Soda	7 15 0	cwt.	...	Bhola Nath Mookerjee and Co.
Sponges, medium quality	0 14 0	oz.	...	Ujoodahprosad and Juggernauth.
Staves, flag	0 12 0	12	...	Gungadthur Banerjee and Co.
Straw, for packing	0 14 0	cwt.	...	Ditto.
Soda, carbonate of	8 4 0	"	...	Bhola Nath Mookerjee and Co.
Tallow, best, country	16 8 0	cwt.	...	Jogin Chunder Ghose and Co.
Tar, coal, best	8 15 0	casks of 36 gallons.	...	Bhola Nath Mookerjee and Co.
Tar, Stockholm	14 15 0	"	...	Ditto.
Turpentine	2 10 0	gallon	...	Poorna Chunder Coomar and Co.
Twine, Bengal, in hanks	0 2 9	lb.	...	Bhola Nath Mookerjee and Co.
Twist, cotton (in pressed bales)	40 0 0	cwt.	...	Raj Kisto Dass and Co.
Vermillion, China	0 8 6	lb.	...	Gungadthur Banerjee and Co.
Wax, bees'	0 11 6	"	...	Ditto.
sealing, for cash bags	0 4 0	"	...	Raj Kisto Dass and Co.
Waste, cotton, No. 1 quality.	20 0 0	cwt.	...	Ditto.
" No. 2	18 0 0	"	...	Ahmuty and Co.
" No. 3	12 8 0	"	...	Jogin Chunder Ghose and Co.
jute	6 0 0	"	...	Gungadthur Banerjee and Co.
Wicks for kerosine oil, 1/4-inch	0 0 6	yard	...	Poorna Chunder Coomar and Co.
" 3/4-inch	0 0 9	"	...	Ditto.
" 1-inch	0 0 10	"	...	Ditto.
" 1 1/4-inch	0 1 0	"	...	Ditto.
" 1 1/2-inch	0 1 3	"	...	Ditto.
" 1 3/4-inch	0 1 6	"	...	Ditto.
" 2-inch	9 0 0	cwt.	...	Degumber Dass.
Yarn, coir	16 0 0	"	...	Ram Chunder Dutt.
spun, dressed	...	"	...	...

*Accepted rates for country belting leather.*

	SIZES.															REMARKS.
	1½"	2"	2½"	3"	3½"	4"	5"	6"	7"	8"	9"	10"	11"	12"	Per	
Single . . .	0 3 00	4 00	5 00	6 00	7 00	8 00	10 00	12 00	14 01	0 01	2 01	2 00	9 01	4 0	Foot	} Sigg Sulzer & Co.
Double . . .	0 5 00	6 00	8 00	12 00	14 00	15 01	2 01	6 01	12 02	2 02	4 02	6 00	15 02	10 0	"	
Treble . . .	0 8 00	10 00	13 01	0 01	3 01	6 01	11 02	0 02	6 02	12 03	0 03	10 01	8 04	0 0	"	

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## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

## DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

SUPPLEMENT TO THE STATEMENTS OF PRICES CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS FOR THE 2nd HALF OF JUNE 1882, PUBLISHED IN PAGES 978, 979, 986 AND 987 OF THE SUPPLEMENT TO THE "GAZETTE OF INDIA," DATED 29th JULY 1882.

PROVINCES.	DISTRICTS.	AVERAGE WAGES PER MONTH.		
		Able-bodied Agricultural Labourer.	Sycee or Horse-keeper.	Common Mason, Carpenter, or Blacksmith.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
MADRAS . . .	Anantapur . . . . .	3 14 7	4 8 0	14 10 11
	Trichinopoly . . . . .	4 0 0	6 8 0	10 8 0
RAJPOOTANA . . .	Erinpura . . . . .	6 0 0	6 0 0	12 0 0
	Sirohee . . . . .	6-0 to 10-0	6-0 to 8-0	10-0 to 25-0
	Abu . . . . .	8 0 0	6-0 to 8-0	15-0 to 25-0
	Anadra . . . . .	6-0 to 10-0	8 0 0	15-0 to 25-0
	Marwar (Jodhpore). . . . .	8 0 0	5 0 0	10 0 0

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INDIA FOR THE 2nd HALF OF JULY 1882.

SEERS OF 80 TOLAHS.

Grass.									Firewood.									Salt.									DISTRICTS.			PROVINCES.		
Present fortnight.			Past fortnight.			Corresponding fortnight of 1881.			Present fortnight.			Past fortnight.			Corresponding fortnight of 1881.			Wholesale.			Retail.											
Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.									
Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.								
3	35	3	32	3	26	10	26	10	32	10	215	13	215	13	215	13	...	...	...	13	13	13	13	12	0	Ganjam						
5	24	3	28	5	25	11	22	3	30	6	93	5	93	5	87	8	15	3	15	3	11	11	14	10	10	Vizagapatam						
2	33	10	36	6	26	3	25	3	33	10	194	6	194	6	194	6	14	10	14	10	12	8	14	10	12	8	Godavery					
3	33	13	38	3	21	11	21	6	29	10	145	13	145	13	145	13	16	5	16	0	13	2	15	11	12	14	Kistna					
6	36	0	30	14	23	2	27	5	26	3	186	10	186	10	93	5	14	13	14	13	13	3	14	13	12	11	Nellore					
8	31	8	33	0	29	3	29	3	35	5	194	6	194	6	194	6	17	2	16	10	13	14	16	10	13	8	Cuddapah					
0	33	0	34	14	31	5	33	10	40	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	5	14	5	11	14	14	5	11	14	Anantapur					
3	31	0	31	0	28	0	28	0	34	11	97	3	97	3	97	3	15	3	15	13	13	6	14	13	15	8	Bellary					
10	29	10	...	...	26	3	24	6	28	8	198	3	190	8	199	11	14	13	14	6	12	8	14	6	14	0	Kurnool					
0	28	0	27	2	24	10	24	10	27	11	81	6	81	6	81	6	16	11	16	14	14	6	16	3	13	14	Madras					
6	27	6	24	11	23	6	23	6	26	8	92	5	92	5	77	13	17	5	17	5	14	5	17	0	17	0	Chingleput					
3	33	5	30	13	24	10	26	10	30	8	140	0	140	0	140	0	14	13	14	13	12	11	14	5	14	5	12	5	North Arcot			
6	28	6	23	2	30	3	29	11	26	8	201	11	201	11	199	5	19	5	19	5	15	5	18	14	18	14	14	13	South Arcot			
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8	32	11	27	8	33	14	33	14	30	0	97	3	97	3	97	3	17	13	17	13	12	14	17	0	17	0	12	3	Trichinopoly			
0	32	8	27	14	34	11	34	11	34	11	145	13	170	2	93	5	17	5	16	6	11	3	16	13	16	0	10	14	Madura			
...	...	...	...	...	29	11	29	11	27	2	81	10	81	10	76	13	18	11	18	11	14	13	16	5	16	5	14	5	Tinnevely			
14	31	3	27	14	31	5	31	5	41	13	131	3	131	3	131	3	14	2	14	2	12	3	13	10	13	10	11	11	Coimbatore			
13	21	10	20	3	22	6	22	6	24	14	161	13	161	13	121	8	11	0	11	0	9	3	11	0	11	0	9	3	Nilgiris			
0	30	13	30	13	38	8	35	8	39	6	151	10	151	10	151	10	18	0	16	6	14	5	15	6	15	5	13	5	Salem			
6	19	6	21	2	21	3	21	3	23	3	116	6	116	6	109	5	11	0	11	0	11	8	10	0	10	0	10	13	South Canara			
14	23	6	23	5	25	3	25	3	31	14	121	8	121	8	121	8	13	8	13	8	10	13	12	10	12	10	9	14	Malabar			
0	19	13	13	0	15	15	16	4	18	12	61	7	64	14	61	6	14	6	14	6	12	9	14	6	14	6	12	9	Bombay			
...	...	...	...	...	20	0	20	0	23	8	80	0	80	0	80	0	16	8	16	8	13	4	16	0	16	0	13	0	...	...	Ahmedabad	
...	...	...	...	...	22	14	21	5	21	5	80	0	80	0	80	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	0	16	0	12	13	...	...	Kaira	
...	...	...	...	...	16	0	16	0	17	13	80	0	80	0	80	0	13	9	13	9	11	7	13	9	13	9	11	7	...	...	Surat	
...	...	...	...	...	16	0	16	0	20	0	106	0	106	0	106	0	15	4	15	4	12	12	15	4	15	4	12	12	...	...	Broach	
11	25	11	15	4	14	15	14	15	17	3	71	1	71	1	71	1	14	5	14	5	11	7	12	12	12	12	10	12	...	...	Tanna (Salsette)	
...	...	...	...	...	14	0	14	0	13	0	120	0	120	0	110	0	12	0	12	0	11	0	11	0	11	0	10	8	...	...	Colaba (Alibag)	
...	...	...	...	...	17	1	17	1	25	2	140	0	140	0	140	0	14	2	14	2	12	2	14	0	14	0	12	0	...	...	Khandesh (Dhulia)	
0	30	0	25	8	18	0	18	0	3	12	128	0	128	0	115	0	14	8	14	8	12	14	14	4	14	4	12	12	...	...	Nasik	
...	...	...	...	...	19	12	19	10	24	1	91	5	91	5	106	10	14	9	14	9	11	2	14	7	14	7	11	0	...	...	Ahmednagar	
...	...	...	...	...	17	4	17	4	19	9	68	0	68	0	76	0	13	1	13	1	11	6	12	13	12	13	11	2	...	...	Poona	
...	...	...	...	...	18	11	20	1	25	9	80	0	85	0	85	0	13	8	13	8	12	0	12	8	12	12	11	8	...	...	Sholapur	
...	...	...	...	...	14	0	14	0	16	0	130	0	120	0	112	0	11	3	11	8	10	0	11	0	11	0	9	12	...	...	Kaladgi (Bagalkot)	
...	...	...	...	...	15	10	14	5	16	14	110	15	110	15	116	8	12	6	12	6	10	14	11	10	11	10	10	3	...	...	Satara	
0	35	0	35	0	13	0	13	0	17	0	75	0	75	0	65	0	12	8	12	0	11	0	12	0	11	8	10	0	...	...	Belgaum	
0	28	0	49	0	11	0	11	0	21	0	80	0	80	0	80	0	8	12	8	12	8	12	8	8	0	8	0	8	0	...	...	Dharwar (Hubli)
2	21	2	18	13	14	0	14	0	16	13	120	0	120	0	165	0	11	13	11	13	9	1	11	10	11	10	9	1	...	...	Ratnagiri	
0	21	0	22	8	12	0	12	0	13	0	213	5	213	5	213	5	11	8	11	8	9	12	10	8	10	8	8	12	...	...	Kanara (Karwar)	
0	23	0	40	0	25	0	25	0	32	0	200	0	200	0	200	0	16	0	16	0	...	...	15	4	15	4	11	6	...	...	Panch Mahals (Godhra)	
...	...	...	...	...	9	5	9	5	9	5	65	5	65	5	65	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	32	0	32	0	32	0	...	...	Aden	
...	...	...	...	...	19	8	19	13	26	0	160	0	160	0	160	0	12	0	12	1	10	0	12	0	12	1	10	0	...	...	Asirgarh	
...	...	...	...	...	17	10	17	9	20	9	82	4	81	11	91	0	14	11	14	5	12	0	14	10	14	0	12	0	...	...	Baroda	
...	...	...	...	...	17	0	18	8	20	9	137	8	137	8	137	8	13	8	13	8	10	8	13	0	13	0	10	0	...	...	Disa	
...	...	...	...	...	18	8	17	8	22	0	160	0	160	0	140	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	0	11	0	8	0	...	...	Nimach	
...	...	...	...	...	22	10	22	4	21	13	81	9	85	0	76	9	+16	6	+16	6	...	...	16	0	16	0	+12	5	...	...	Nasirabad	
...	...	...	...	...	16	14	16	6	25	12	73	8	77	8	75	0	+55	0	+55	0	+45	0	48	0	48	0	...	...	...	...	Rajkot	
0	40	0	...	...	20	0	20	0	18	0	160	0	160	0	160	0	+12	5	+12	5	+10	10	+12	4	+12	4	+10	0	...	...	Upper Sindh Frontier	
0	11	0	9	8	17	0	17	0	20	0	105	0	105	0	103	0	17	13	17	13	14	3	17	0	17	0	14	0	...	...	Karachi	
...	...	...	...	...	18	0	18	0	11	0	480	0	480	0	320	0	14	0	14	0	10	0	14	0	14	0	10	0	...	...	Haidarabad (Nakur)	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	No return received.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Shikarpur
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	160	0	160	0	160	0	10	15	10	11	9	10	10	15	10	11	9	10	...	...	Thar and Parkar (Umarmkot)	
Prices per md. of 40 seers.																									Western Districts.							
Rs. A. P. Rs. A. P. Rs. A. P.																																
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In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow :—Contai 13 seers, Tumlook 13 seers, and Ghattal 15 seers.

Retail prices of salt at Babugunge, Jhekrapota, and Balor 13-9 seers, at Serampore 13 seers, at Chanditola 12 seers, at Baidyabati 14 seers, at Bhuddessur 14-12 seers.

and at Jehanabad 13-5 seers.

Sambhur salt. † in common use.

## PRICES CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS THROUGHOUT

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE

PROVINCES.	DISTRICTS.																		
		Wheat.			Barley.			Rice (best sort).			Rice (common).			Great Millet (Cholum, Jowar), Hoicus Sorghum.			Bulrush Millet (Camboo, Baira), Pennisetia Spica		
		Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.
		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
<b>Central Districts.</b>																			
Calcutta		13 5	14 0	17 4	21 5	23 2	40 0	10 0	10 0	7 4	20 0	20 0	16 0	20 0	22 8	...	...	13 12	...
24-Pergunnahs		11 12 <sup>f</sup>	12 12	14 0	20 0	22 8	26 0	9 0	10 0	10 8	16 0	18 0	20 0	20 0	21 5 <sup>g</sup>	...	...	...	...
Nuddea		14 8 <sup>g</sup>	14 8	16 0	26 0	26 0	32 0	16 13	16 13	16 13	22 0	22 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Khoolna		...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	17 0	22 0	22 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jessore		14 0 <sup>h</sup>	16 0	15 8	...	...	...	17 0	18 0	20 0	22 0	22 0	29 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moorsheadabad		15 0 <sup>i</sup>	16 0	20 0	...	...	...	16 0	17 12	18 0	24 0	25 0	26 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dirangapore		11 0 <sup>k</sup>	11 8	15 0	17 0	16 0	26 8	16 0	21 0	22 4	19 3	26 8	30 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rajshahye		to	to	21 0	45 0	45 0	48 0	to	to	to	to	to	to	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rungpore		15 0	16 8	...	...	...	...	16 0	17 0	15 0	19 0	20 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bogra		16 8	18 12	19 14	...	...	...	15 12	15 12	22 8	26 4	30 0	33 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fubna		17 0 <sup>n</sup>	18 12	24 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	12 0	26 4	25 0	30 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Darjeeling		8 0 <sup>o</sup>	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	5 0	6 0	5 0	13 0	14 0	12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jalpaiguri		9 0 <sup>p</sup>	9 0	10 0	20 0	20 0	...	14 0	16 0	13 5	18 0	24 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Eastern Districts.</b>																			
Dacca		13 5 <sup>q</sup>	12 4	14 8	40 0	40 0	40 0	29 0	24 0	25 0	32 0	32 0	35 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
Furzedpore		22 0 <sup>r</sup>	22 0	21 0	35 0	35 0	32 0	22 0	22 0	8 0	24 0	24 0	27 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Backergunge		...	...	...	...	...	...	20 0	20 0	20 0	24 0	24 0	30 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mymensingh		10 8 <sup>s</sup>	11 0	13 8	...	...	...	22 0	22 8	23 0	30 0	28 0	28 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tipperah		11 8 <sup>t</sup>	12 0	14 0	...	...	...	22 8	23 0	23 0	28 0	28 4	34 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chittagong		9 0 <sup>u</sup>	9 0	12 4	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	13 0	25 0	24 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Nonkholly		...	...	...	...	...	...	26 0	27 0	26 0	28 0	32 0	31 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chittagong Hill Tracts		...	...	...	...	...	...	13 5	13 5	16 0	17 12	17 12	17 3	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hill Tipperah		11 0	11 0	12 0	...	...	...	22 0	23 0	30 0	29 0	30 0	39 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Behar.</b>																			
Patna		18 8	16 8	21 8	34 0	34 0	40 0	12 0	11 8	15 0	22 0	21 8	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gya		17 8 <sup>v</sup>	17 0	19 8	29 0	29 0	38 0	12 8	12 0	12 8	18 8	19 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Shahabad		14 8 <sup>w</sup>	14 8	17 0	25 0	28 0	35 0	16 0	17 0	18 0	20 8	21 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Durbhanga		16 0	16 8	20 0	32 8	32 0	45 0	19 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	23 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mozufferpore		14 0 <sup>x</sup>	14 0	18 0	32 8	32 0	45 0	14 8	14 0	18 0	17 0	17 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sarun		16 0 <sup>y</sup>	16 0	20 0	30 0	30 0	40 0	11 0	12 0	11 0	15 0	16 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chumpanon		15 0 <sup>z</sup>	15 0	18 8	27 0	28 0	38 0	10 0	10 0	10 8	20 0	20 0	22 8	30 0	29 0	39 0	...	...	...
Monghyr		18 0 <sup>aa</sup>	18 0	22 0	35 0	36 0	50 0	12 0	12 0	14 0	19 0	20 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bhagalpur		15 12 <sup>ab</sup>	16 12	19 15	31 8	33 9	42 0	14 10	15 12	14 11	18 14	21 0	19 15	...	...	...	...	...	...
Purneah		14 8 <sup>ac</sup>	15 2	15 2	30 4	30 4	40 6	17 11	17 11	17 11	21 7	21 7	20 3	...	...	...	...	...	...
Maldah		14 0 <sup>ad</sup>	15 0	22 0	...	...	40 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	22 0	22 0	28 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Southland Pergunnahs		16 0	16 0	20 0	...	...	...	15 0	16 0	19 0	20 0	21 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Orissa.		13 2	14 7	19 11	...	...	...	15 12	15 12	18 6	27 9	24 15	22 5	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cuttack		10 0 <sup>ae</sup>	10 8	17 1	...	...	...	20 0	21 0	21 0	24 0	24 0	23 10	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pooree		16 0 <sup>af</sup>	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	26 0	26 0	31 0	32 0	32 0	32 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Balasore		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Chota Nagpore—South-Western Frontier Agency.</b>																			
Hazaribagh		12 0 <sup>ag</sup>	15 0	18 0	...	...	24 0	10 0	11 0	12 0	18 0	19 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lohardugga		16 0	17 0	18 0	24 0	24 0	...	20 0	21 0	20 0	22 0	24 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Singbhoom		20 0	20 0	24 0	28 0	28 0	40 0	32 0	36 0	32 0	36 0	40 0	36 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Manbhoom		13 0 <sup>ah</sup>	13 0	15 0	...	...	40 0	18 0	19 0	18 0	30 0	31 0	30 0	...	...	40 0	...	...	...

<sup>f</sup> In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Baraset and Basirhat 13 seers, Diamond Harbour and Barripore 10-8 seers, Barrackpore 12-12 seers, and Dum-Du 13 seers.

<sup>g</sup> In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Kooashtea 13 seers, Meherpore 10 seers, Choodanga 12 seers, Raughat 12-14 seers, and Bongong 13 seers.

<sup>h</sup> In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Bagirhat 11 seers and Patkhura 10-10 seers.

<sup>i</sup> In the sub-divisions retail price of salt is 12 seers.

<sup>j</sup> In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Lalbagh 10 seers, Jungpore 11-6 seers, and Kandi 11-8 seers.

<sup>k</sup> Retail prices of salt at Raigunge 11-8 seers and at Nitpore 12 seers.

<sup>l</sup> In Nattore retail price of salt is 12 seers.

<sup>m</sup> In the sub-divisions retail price of salt is 12 seers.

<sup>n</sup> In cerajunge retail price of salt is 12-4 seers.

<sup>o</sup> Retail price of salt at Kurseong 8 seers and Silligori 10 seers.

<sup>p</sup> Retail price of salt at Pallacotta in Alipore sub-division is 10-8 seers.

<sup>q</sup> In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Manickgunge 12 seers, Moonsheegunge 10-10½ seers, and Naraingunge 12 seers.

<sup>r</sup> In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Gosaiundo 12 seers, Madaripore 13 seers, Bhanga 10 seers, and Gopalgunge 12 seers.

<sup>s</sup> In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Patuakhundi 10-10 seers, Perozepore 11 seers, and Bhola 10 seers.

<sup>t</sup> Retail prices of salt at Kishoregunge 12-5 seers, Aiten 12 seers, Jamaipore 11 seers, and Netrokona 12-5 seers.

<sup>u</sup> In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Brahmunberia 11 seers and Chandpore 12 seers.



INDIA FOR THE 2nd HALF OF JULY 1882—continued.

SEERS OF 80 TOLAHS.

SEERS OF 80 TOLAHS.																DISTRICTS.	PROVINCES.				
Paddy Millers, Bag, &c. (Kavara, Veraga, Sawes, Cheena, Coraloo, Murh- wa, Nagies), Panicum Miliaceum, &c.			Gram.						Firewood.			Salt.									
Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fort- night of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fort- night of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fort- night of 1881.	Wholesale prices per maund of 40 seers.			Retail.									
									Present fort- night.	Past fort- night.	Correspond- ing fortnight of 1881.	Present fort- night.	Past fort- night.	Correspond- ing fortnight of 1881.							
Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	
...	...	...	21	5	21	5	24	8	90	0	90	0	90	0	2	10	0	14	9	14	9
...	...	...	17	8	18	0	22	12	90	0	90	0	100	0	3	0	0	13	5	13	5
...	...	...	22	15	21	5	29	0	...	...	...	...	...	3	0	0	11	10	12	13	
...	...	...	12	0	12	0	10	0	160	0	160	0	160	0	3	2	0	11	0	11	0
...	...	...	16	0	18	0	25	0	120	0	120	0	110	0	3	2	0	12	8	12	8
...	...	...	22	0	25	0	34	0	120	0	120	0	120	0	3	4	0	12	8	12	8
...	...	...	20	0	20	0	20	0	180	0	160	0	180	0	3	4	0	12	8	12	0
...	...	...	19	4	22	8	26	4	240	0	240	0	250	0	3	5	3	12	0	12	0
...	...	...	21	0	24	6	30	0	130	0	135	0	120	0	3	5	3	11	8	11	8
...	...	...	15	0	15	0	12	0	67	8	67	8	67	8	3	5	4	10	8	10	8
...	...	...	20	0	18	12	20	0	200	0	200	0	200	0	3	3	6	12	0	12	12
...	...	...	16	0	16	0	12	12	128	0	128	0	64	0	3	4	0	11	0	11	0
...	...	...	20	0	21	0	20	0	106	8	106	0	106	0	3	3	0	12	4	13	5
...	...	...	12	0	12	0	12	0	...	...	...	...	...	2	13	9	11	0	11	0	
...	...	...	18	0	18	0	17	0	100	0	100	0	100	0	3	11	0	10	9	10	9
...	...	...	16	0	16	0	17	8	...	...	...	...	...	3	4	0	12	8	12	8	
...	...	...	18	0	18	0	16	0	...	...	...	...	...	3	4	0	12	8	12	8	
...	...	...	16	0	16	0	16	0	80	0	80	0	80	0	2	14	0	13	0	13	0
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...	...	...	14	0	14	0	10	0	...	...	...	...	...	3	6	0	10	0	10	0	
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...	...	...	25	0	26	0	32	0	180	0	180	0	160	0	3	6	0	12	8	11	8
...	...	...	28	0	29	0	31	0	120	0	120	0	120	0	3	1	0	12	8	13	0
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...	...	...	23	0	25	0	33	0	140	0	140	0	140	0	3	4	0	12	0	12	0
...	...	...	27	0	27	0	30	0	160	0	160	0	160	0	3	6	0	11	0	11	0
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...	...	...	22	0	23	0	23	0	160	0	160	0	120	0	3	8	0	10	0	10	0
...	...	...	22	0	25	0	28	0	200	0	160	0	120	0	3	2	0	12	0	12	0
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...	...	...	13	2	18	6	21	0	160	0	160	0	160	0	3	0	0	13	0	13	0
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...	...	...	13	0	16	0	16	0	140	0	160	0	120	0	3	2	0	13	0	13	0
...	...	...	36	0	33	0	18	0	200	0	190	0	200	0	3	11	3	10	10	10	0
...	...	...	38	0	48	0	15	0	120	0	120	0	140	0	4	4	0	9	0	9	0
...	...	...	24	0	24	0	24	0	180	0	180	0	160	0	4	7	0	8	0	8	0
...	...	...	64	0	17	0	17	0	120	0	120	0	120	0	3	12	0	11	0	11	0

v Retail prices of salt at Hathazare 12 seers, Kumeriah 9 seers, and Cox's Bazar 10 seers.

w In the interior retail prices of salt range from 8 to 11 seers.

x In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Jehanabad 12 seers, Nowada 10 seers, and Aurangabad 11-8 seers.

y In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Sasseram 11-8 seers, Buxar 11-8 seers, and Bhabuah 10-3 seers.

z Retail prices of salt in Madhubani and Tajpore sub-divisions 11-8 seers.

a1 In the interior retail prices of salt range from 10 to 13 seers.

a2 In the sub-divisions wholesale prices of salt are as follow:—Sewan Rs. 3-3 per maund and Gopalgunge Rs. 3-4.

a3 In the interior retail prices of salt range from 10-4 to 12-8 seers.

a4 In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Boguserai 11-8 seers and Jamul 12-5 seers.

a5 In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow:—Banka 11 seers, Mudehpore 10 seers, and Sopolle 11 seers.

a6 Retail prices of salt at Othreo 10 seers, Kusba 11-8 seers, Kissengunge 8 seers, and Ranigunge in Arrareah sub-division 9 seers.

a7 Retail prices of salt at Godda 11 seers and at Sarowin 10 seers.

a8 Retail prices of salt at Khurda 13 seers.

a9 Retail price of salt at Bhadrak 11 seers.

a10 Retail price of salt at Chatra 10 seers.

a11 Retail prices of salt at Raghunathpore 12 seers, Jhalda 10 seers, and Govindpore 12 seers.

BENGAL—continued.



## PRICES CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS THROUGHOUT

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE

PROVINCES.	DISTRICTS.	Wheat.			Barley.			Rice (best sort).			Rice (common).			Great Millet (Cholum, Jowar), Hoicus Sorghum.			Bulrush Millet (Cumboo, Bajra), Pennisetia Spicata.		
		Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.
ASSAM.	Sylhet	10 8	11 12	13 0	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	16 0	35 0	35 0	31 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Cachar	9 2	10 10	11 13	16 0	16 0	16 0	20 0	17 12	20 0	22 12	21 5	24 10	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Goalpara	22 0	22 0	26 11	...	...	...	14 0	13 0	17 12	17 0	18 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Garo Hills	4 0	4 0	4 0	...	...	...	5 0	5 0	5 0	16 0	16 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Kamrup	16 0	16 0	14 0	...	...	...	12 8	13 0	12 0	18 0	18 0	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Darrang	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0	10 0	8 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Nowgong	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 8	13 8	10 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Sibsagar	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	6 8	16 0	16 0	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Lakhimpur	8 0	8 0	9 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Khasi & Jaintia Hills	8 0	...	10 0	...	...	...	10 0	11 0	8 0	11 0	12 0	9 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Naga Hills	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 0	5 0	4 0	8 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
N. W. PROVINCES.	Delhra Dún	18 0	18 0	17 8	29 0	29 0	28 0	11 0	11 0	10 0	12 8	12 8	10 8	22 0	22 0	0 15	0 18	0 18	0 16
	Saharanpur	19 5 1/2	19 5 1/2	19 6	27 15	27 15	28 0	9 11	9 11	7 9	12 14 1/2	12 14 1/2	11 14	26 14 23	10 1/2	19 6 21	8 21	8 19	6 19
	Muzaffarnagar	18 11	18 4	20 4	29 11	29 11	33 0	6 9	6 9	6 9	14 5	14 5	12 10	27 8 26	6 18	11 22	0 22	0 17	10 17
	Meerut	17 8	17 0	20 0	25 0	24 0	27 8	6 0	6 0	5 8	15 0	15 0	13 0	26 0 24	0 19	0 21	0 21	0 19	0 19
	Bulandshahr	19 0	19 8	20 12	24 0	24 0	28 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	13 0	13 0	14 8	25 0 25	0 19	8 16	8 16	8 18	8 18
	Aligarh	17 4	17 4	18 8	23 0	23 0	24 8	6 0	6 0	8 0	13 0	13 0	11 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Kanunau	16 0	16 0	14 0	17 0	17 0	16 0	10 0	10 0	7 0	15 0	15 0	10 10	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Gorhwal	23 8	23 8	17 8	25 10	23 2	26 7	10 2	10 11	10 2	12 6	11 13	11 4	22 8 21	6 15	12 19	11 18	9 16	11 16
	Bijnor	16 14	16 9	19 11	25 10	23 2	26 7	9 6	9 6	7 13	13 2	13 12	13 2	24 6 23	12 20	0 20	0 19	6 17	8 17
	Moradabad	18 12	18 2	20 5	23 12	23 12	27 0	9 9 1/2	9 9 1/2	6 0	13 12 1/2	14 11	13 12 1/2	20 6 18	0 12	0 20	6 18	0 9 1/2	11 9 1/2
	Budaun	17 8 1/2	17 11	20 6	22 12 1/2	22 0 1/2	27 0	9 9 1/2	9 9 1/2	7 8	13 12 1/2	14 6	13 12 1/2	21 4 21	0 20	0 20	0 21	4 18	12 18
	Bareilly	16 14	16 14	19 6	21 4	21 4	26 4	7 8	7 8	8 0	14 8	16 8	14 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Shahjahanpur	18 6	18 4	20 12	24 4	24 4	28 8	9 4	9 4	10 0	14 0	13 0	14 0	20 0 17	8 12	0 20	0 17	8 12	0 12
	Tarai Pergunnahs	20 0	20 0	19 0	30 0	30 0	32 0	7 8	7 8	10 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	25 0 22	0 16	0 20	0 18	0 20	0 20
	Muttra	17 0	17 0	19 0	22 0	21 8	23 0	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	13 8	22 0 23	0 21	0 20	0 20	0 20	0 20
	Agra	17 0	17 0	17 8	21 0	21 0	22 8	6 8	6 8	6 0	14 0	14 0	13 8	22 0 22	2 18	4 20	12 20	12 20	15 20
	Farrukhabad	17 11 1/2	17 4	18 14	22 0 1/2	21 3	25 13 1/2	7 0	7 3	6 2	13 7 14	0 14	12 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Mainpuri	18 8	18 0	18 4	24 8	23 8	22 10	6 0	6 0	6 0	14 8	14 8	14 8	25 0 22	0 17	5 16	0 16	0 16	0 16
	Etawah	17 0	17 0	17 14	23 0	22 8	22 10	6 0	6 0	8 0	13 0	12 0	12 0	20 0 16	4 19	0 18	0 18	0 18	0 18
	Etah	18 8	19 8	20 0	22 8	24 0	26 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	28 0 28	0 24	0 22	0 22	0 20	0 20
	Jalaun	20 0	20 0	20 0	22 0	20 0	22 0	10 0	10 0	8 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	32 0 31	0 33	0 26	0 26	0 26	0 26
	Jhansi	22 0	20 13 1/2	22 0	32 2	32 0	30 0	8 8	8 8	7 8	15 0	15 0	13 0	32 0 31	0 33	0 26	0 26	0 26	0 26
	Lalitpur	22 0	21 8	27 8	37 0	37 0	35 0	10 0	10 0	9 0	12 0	12 0	15 0	25 8 23	8 23	0 25	8 23	8 26	8 26
	Cawnpore	17 8	17 4	20 0	26 0	25 0	25 12	11 0	11 0	10 8	15 0	15 0	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Fatehpur	16 12	16 12	17 4	24 0	23 4	21 12	11 4	11 4	10 10	15 8	16 0	13 14	33 0 32	0 20	0 30	0 30	0 19	19 19
	Banda	18 0	18 0	16 8	25 0	25 0	23 4	11 8	11 8	11 0	17 0	17 0	16 0	29 0 27	8 25	0 28	12 26	8 24	8 24
	Allahabad	17 8	16 12	17 6	25 8	24 8	23 4	11 8	11 8	12 6	...	...	15 12	25 0 25	4 19	11 24	0 23	12 18	12 18
	Hamirpur	16 0	16 0	15 8	20 0	22 8	19 11	9 0	9 0	7 1	15 8	15 8	16 15	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Jampur	18 10	18 0	20 7	30 11	29 10	31 1	7 1	7 1	7 12	15 8	15 8	20 13 1/2	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Gorakhpur	16 3	18 0	19 12 1/2	22 8	28 13	43 3	12 9 1/2	14 6 1/2	14 6 1/2	16 3	18 0	20 13 1/2	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Basti	15 8	17 0	21 4	38 0	39 0	40 0	12 0	15 0	13 0	14 0	16 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Azamgarh	18 7	18 7	19 3	27 5	28 0	29 8	8 14	8 14	8 2	17 11	17 11	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Mirzapur	17 0	16 8	18 0	22 0	23 0	26 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	18 0	16 0	17 0	27 0 27	0 27	0 26	0 26	0 26	0 26
	Benares	15 11 1/2	15 11 1/2	18 2	24 15	24 6	24 6	11 15	12 7	12 12	16 8	16 13	31 2	26 8 1	28 3 24	15 27	10 28	11 29	11 29
	Ghazipur	18 0	18 0	19 5	25 12	25 12	28 15	10 15 1/2	10 15 1/2	10 15	19 15 1/2	19 15 1/2	18 10	30 14 1/2	30 14 1/2	36 5 20	9 20	9 27	9 27
	Balia	15 0	15 12	20 0	25 0	26 4	35 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	15 0	17 8	22 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Pilibhit	18 6	18 1	20 2	28 4	28 6	30 1	15 0	15 0	15 0	16 4	16 4	16 2	16 4 18	12 12	...	...	...	...
ORISSA.	Lucknow	16 8	16 6 1/2	19 8 1/2	23 6 1/2	23 9 1/2	26 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	14 0	13 14	14 0	22 4	22 7 1/2	24 6 22	0 22	0 23	0 23
	Unao	18 0	18 0	19 8	25 0	25 0	24 0	13 8	10 0	7 0	15 0	15 0	13 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bara Banki	17 0	16 12	19 4	24 0	24 0	26 0	10 0	10 0	9 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	29 0 28	0 28	0 19	0 19	0 20	0 20
	Sitapur	19 4	19 4	23 0	26 14	27 6	29 13	8 0	8 0	8 8	17 6	17 0	15 3	20 12 20	0 16	0 19	12 19	0 22	0 22
	Hardui	15 15	15 15	20 5	23 0	22 8	33 12	5 10	5 10	5 10	11 4	11 4	13 2	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Kheri	19 4	19 0	24 0	27 0	28 0	34 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	15 0	15 0	14 0	31 0 30	0 30	...	...	...	...
	Fyzabad	16 4	16 0	18 0	26 0	25 0	27 0	10 0	10 0	9 8	16 0	16 8	14 0	29 8 1	...	31 0	...	...	...
	Bharaich	16 0	16 0	19 0	34 0	35 0	38 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	18 0	17 0	16 0	30 0 30	0 38	0 13	0 18	0 16	0 16
	Gonda	19 0	19 6	23 2	31 8	30 14	38 0	15 8	15 0	16 0	17 8	17 6	18 6	36 0 36	10 40	0 24	0 24	4 24	4 24
	Rai Bareilly	19 4	18 12	17 12	24 8	23 8	20 0	...	...	...	16 8	16 0	12 8	24 0 24	0 24	...	...	...	...
PUNJAB.	Sultanpur	19 4	19 8	20 0	29 0	29 0	26 8	11 0	11 0	11 0	17 0	18 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Partabgarh	19 6	19 2	19 14	28 13	28 10	26 12	16 6	16 9	13 13	17 9	18 4	15 5	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Delhi	18 4	17 12	18 12	24 4	23 0	26 0	...	...	...	14 0	14 0							

INDIA FOR THE 2nd HALF OF JULY 1882—continued.

SEERS OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millets, Ragi, &c. (Kavaru, Veragu, Sawae, Cheena, Coraloo, Murhwa, Naglee), Pannam Millacum, &c.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.									DISTRICTS.			PROVINCES.													
Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.	Wholesale.			Retail.																						
									Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.																				
															Rs.	A.	per maund.	Rs.	A.	per maund.														
Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	Rs.	A.	per maund.	Rs.	A.	per maund.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.														
...	...	...	16	8	16	0	15	0	108	0	108	0	108	0	3	6	3	6	...	11	12	11	12	8	12	Sylhet	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	16	0	12	13	16	0	80	0	80	0	80	0	3	10	3	8	...	10	10	10	10	8	6	Cachar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	14	0	12	0	14	8	120	0	120	0	120	0	3	4	3	4	...	12	0	12	0	8	14	Goalpara	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	8	0	8	0	6	8	160	0	160	0	160	0	5	6	5	6	...	6	6	6	6	5	5	Garo Hills	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	13	4	13	0	10	0	160	0	160	0	200	0	3	8	3	2	...	11	8	12	0	8	0	Kamrup	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	8	13	8	12	7	8	160	0	160	0	160	0	4	8	4	8	...	8	0	8	0	6	8	Darrang	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	8	0	8	0	8	0	120	0	120	0	100	0	3	12	3	12	...	9	0	9	0	8	0	Nowgong	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	10	0	10	0	10	0	80	0	80	0	120	0	4	4	4	8	...	8	8	8	8	6	8	Sibsagar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	12	0	12	0	12	0	120	0	120	0	80	0	5	0	5	0	...	8	0	8	0	6	8	Lakhimpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
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...	...	...	19	8	19	8	17	8	160	0	160	0	160	0	11	8	11	8	...	10	8	10	8	9	0	Dehra Dun	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	24	11	23	10	20	8	150	8	150	8	150	8	12	1	12	1	...	9	11	11	13	9	11	Saharanpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	23	10	23	2	22	0	132	0	132	0	132	0	11	10	11	10	...	10	2	11	4	11	4	Muzaffarnagar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	21	8	21	0	20	8	110	0	110	0	115	0	12	0	12	0	...	10	0	11	8	11	8	Meerut	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	22	0	22	0	22	8	140	0	130	0	140	0	10	0	10	8	...	10	0	...	...	...	...	Bulandshahr	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	21	8	21	8	21	0	130	0	130	0	120	0	12	0	12	0	...	11	8	11	8	...	...	Aligarh	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	11	8	11	8	12	8	200	0	200	0	200	0	7	0	7	0	...	7	0	6	0	6	0	Kumaun	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	9	0	9	0	9	0	200	0	200	0	240	0	7	8	7	8	...	7	8	7	0	7	0	Garhwal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
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...	...	...	21	4	20	10	20	0	137	8	137	8	125	0	12	0	12	0	...	11	14	11	14	10	10	Moradabad	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	19	3	19	3	22	3	192	0	192	0	170	0	10	15	10	15	...	9	0	10	3	10	3	Budaun	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	19	6	20	0	19	6	125	0	125	0	125	0	11	14	11	14	...	11	4	11	4	9	11	Bareilly	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	20	12	20	12	22	0	160	0	160	0	160	0	12	6	12	4	...	10	4	10	8	10	8	Shahjahanpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	17	8	17	8	17	0	120	0	120	0	120	0	11	4	11	4	...	11	0	11	0	9	4	Tarai Pergunnahs	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
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...	...	...	21	9	21	2	21	1	156	8	156	8	156	12	12	4	11	9	...	9	11	11	9	10	14	Farukhabad	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	22	0	20	8	19	4	160	0	160	0	160	0	12	0	11	0	...	11	0	10	8	...	...	Mainpuri	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
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...	...	...	20	8	21	0	20	8	160	0	140	0	140	0	12	8	12	8	...	10	8	11	0	11	8	Etah	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
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...	...	...	26	6	25	9	26	4	200	0	200	0	200	0	11	8	11	8	...	9	0	10	8	10	8	Jhansi	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	33	0	33	0	35	0	140	0	140	0	120	0	11	0	11	0	...	10	4	10	4	8	12	Lalitpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	23	12	23	12	22	12	140	0	140	0	160	0	12	8	12	0	...	12	0	12	6	10	8	Cawnpore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	24	6	24	2	20	4	200	0	200	0	200	0	10	2	9	14	...	9	14	9	10	9	4	Fatehpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
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...	...	...	24	11	23	4	26	13	169	8	169	8	141	4	9	11	9	11	...	9	9	9	9	8	15	Jaunpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	21	9	27	0	36	0	160	0	160	0	120	0	10	6	11	3	...	10	6	10	6	8	6	Gorakhpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	26	0	26	0	31	0	130	0	140	0	140	0	9	8	8	8	...	7	0	8	8	0	7	8	Basti	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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## PRICES CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS THROUGHOUT

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE

PROVINCES.	DISTRICTS.	Wheat.			Barley.			Rice (best sort).			Rice (common).			Great Millet (Cholam, Jowar), Hoicou Sorghum.			Bairash Millet (Cumboo, Bajra), Pencillaria Spicata.		
		Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.
		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
PUNJAB—continued.	Amritsar . . . . .	25 0	25 0	19 0	39 0	39 0	26 8	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	11 0	27 8	26 8	22 8	23 8	23 8	8 16
	Siālkot . . . . .	No return received	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Gurdāspur [a]. . . . .	30 0	30 0	22 0	40 0	40 0	28 0	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	12 0	22 0	28 0	16 0	14 0	14 0	0 13
	Lahore . . . . .	23 8	23 0	18 0	37 0	37 0	25 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	11 0	36 0	30 0	14 0	...	...	...
	Ferozepore [b]. . . . .	22 0	22 0	18 0	36 0	37 0	28 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	11 0	22 0	22 0	16 0	20 0	20 0	0 14
	Gujranwāla . . . . .	24 4	24 4	18 4	36 0	37 0	29 0	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	6 8	22 0	19 0	13 0	24 0	24 0	0 13
	Rāwalpindi . . . . .	20 8	20 4	13 0	29 8	29 0	21 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	8 0	25 0	23 0	15 0	24 0	21 0	0 15
	Jhelum . . . . .	24 0	23 8	15 8	31 0	31 0	21 12	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	8 0	22 8	21 0	17 0	28 0	28 0	0 16
	Gujrāt . . . . .	26 8	27 4	19 0	39 8	40 8	28 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	10 0	19 0	19 0	13 0	19 0	19 0	0 13
	Shahpūr . . . . .	20 0	20 0	16 8	32 0	32 0	25 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	8 0	25 0	25 0	16 0	25 0	24 0	0 10
	Meolton . . . . .	17 0	16 12	14 0	26 0	26 0	20 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	8 0	16 0	16 0	12 0	16 0	16 0	0 16
	Jhang . . . . .	19 8	19 8	15 0	30 0	30 0	22 8	...	...	...	5 8	5 8	5 8	20 0	20 0	12 0	16 0	...	...
	Montgomery . . . . .	20 0	20 0	17 0	24 0	24 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Muzaffargarh . . . . .	No return received	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Dera Ismail Khān . . . . .	18 2	17 14	16 8	26 14	26 9	25 2	...	...	...	8 12	8 12	7 8	25 0	27 8	16 4	21 9	23 12	16 4
	Dera Ghāzi Khān [c]. . . . .	17 8	19 2	15 5	20 0	23 7	20 0	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	7 8	15 0	21 4	15 0	17 8	20 0	0 15
	Banna . . . . .	31 14	29 1	18 7	46 4	45 0	31 14	...	...	...	8 12	8 12	6 4	27 8	27 8	17 8	28 12	27 8	15 0
	Peshāwar . . . . .	19 0	18 0	10 6	35 12	34 0	20 12	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	6 5	27 4	27 12	15 12	12 10	12 10	9 8
	Kohāt . . . . .	15 15	14 15	11 10	30 9	29 4	22 15	...	...	...	12 12	12 2	7 10	21 10	21 10	15 5	19 2	20 6	...
	Hāzāra . . . . .	...	...	...	40 0	33 8	25 0	...	...	...	...	12 8	10 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
CENTRAL PROVINCES.	Nāgpur . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bhandāra . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Chānda . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Wardha . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bālgāhat . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Jubbulpore . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Saugor . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Damoh . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Seoni . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Mandla . . . . .	No return received	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Betūl . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Chhindwāra . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hoshangabad . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Narsinghpur . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
BRITISH BURMA.	Nimār . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Raipur . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Sambalpur . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bilāspur . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Arakan Division.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Akyab . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Northern Arakan . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Kyaukpoo . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Sandoway . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Pegu Division.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Rangoon town and Hanthawaddy . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Tharrawaddy . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Prome . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Irrawaddy Division.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Henzada . . . . .	No return received	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bassein . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Thonegwa . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Thayetnyo . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
HYDERABAD AND SIGNED DISTRICTS.	Tenasserim Division.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Moumein town and Amherst . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Tavoy . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Mergui . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Toungoo . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Shwaygyin . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Salween . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Secunderabad . . . . .	16 5	16 5	15 2	...	...	...	6 13	6 13	7 8	9 13	9 13	9 13	23 14	23 14	23 0	...	...	...
	Bolarum . . . . .	19 7	17 12	16 6	...	...	...	7 6	7 6	8 1	9 0	8 11	9 9	27 0	27 0	24 7	...	...	...
	Chudderghat . . . . .	14 0	13 8	12 0	...	...	...	7 0	6 8	6 0	8 0	8 8	8 8	26 0	25 0	24 0	0 33	0 33	0 34
	Amrāoti . . . . .	16 0	16 0	21 0	11 8	10 0	10 0	8 0	8 0	6 8	10 0	10 0	10 0	30 0	30 0	0 46	0 24	0 24	0 26
	Ākola . . . . .	16 0	16 0	19 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	30 0	30 0	0 46	0 24	0 24	0 26
	Ellichpur . . . . .	14 0	14 0	18 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	6 0	6 0	8 0	7 0	8 0	10 0	20 0	21 0	0 30	0 20	0 20	0 38
	Buldāna . . . . .	17 0	19 0	26 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Wan . . . . .	13 0	14 0	17 0	...	...	...	7 0	7 0	7 0	10 8	10 8	10 0	23 0	30 0	0 36	...	...	...
	Bāsīm . . . . .	20 0	20 8	26 0	...	...	...	5 4	5 0	5 0	11 0	12 0	14 0	34 0	34 0	0 52	...	...	...

[a] Price of jowar has risen.

[b] Price of jowar has fallen.

[c] Price of barley and jowar has risen.



DIA FOR THE 2nd HALF OF JULY 1882—continued.

SEERS OF 80 TOLAHS.

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\* No wholesale salt sold.

## PRICES CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS THROUGHOUT THE PROVINCES.

QUANTITIES PER RU

PROVINCES.	DISTRICTS.	Wheat.			Barley.			Rice (best sort).			Rice (common).			Great Millet (Cholum, Jowar), Holcus Sorghum.			Burrush Mill (Cumboo, Bajra), Pennisetum glaucum.		
		Present fortnight.			Present fortnight.			Present fortnight.			Present fortnight.			Present fortnight.			Present fortnight.		
		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
MYSORE.	Bangalore	10 15	11 5	11 10	12 12	13 0	12 15	9 11	9 9	9 1	11 2	11 0	10 11	23 6	22 14	25 3	...	...	...
	Kolar	...	...	...	10 6	12 0	10 2	12 14	13 15	10 12	15 3	15 3	13 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Tumkur	14 0	14 0	13 0	12 8	13 0	13 0	11 0	10 12	9 4	11 4	11 8	9 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Mysore	11 0	10 4	10 0	...	...	...	11 0	10 10	11 8	11 0	12 0	12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hassan	11 0	12 0	11 0	11 8	14 0	12 0	10 0	10 0	11 8	11 0	12 0	12 0	26 4	25 3	41 8	...	...	...
	Shimoga	11 9	11 9	14 11	13 10	13 10	16 13	10 8	10 8	11 13	13 10	12 10	15 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Kadur	15 0	16 0	9 0	14 0	15 0	...	11 0	12 0	14 0	13 0	14 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Chitaldroog	16 0	16 0	16 0	18 0	18 0	20 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	12 0	13 0	36 0	36 0	40 0	28 0	28 0	...	...
	Coorg	7 15	7 12	8 5	8 8	8 8	8 12	10 9	10 10	10 14	13 0	13 12	15 10	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Jeypore	16 12	16 8	15 12	21 8	21 0	22 8	7 0	6 0	6 0	9 0	9 0	8 8	18 8	20 0	25 0	19 0	18 4	...
RAJPUTANA.	Kishengurh	16 0	16 0	17 8	21 8	21 8	27 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	21 0	21 0	26 8	17 0	17 0	...
	Kerrowlee	16 0	16 0	...	18 8	18 8	...	12 8	12 8	...	13 8	13 8	...	19 0	18 8	...	16 0	16 0	...
	Ulwar	18 7	17 15	16 11	23 5	22 3	21 6	8 0	8 0	8 0	11 8	11 10	10 15	23 5	22 0	20 9	17 0	16 3	...
	Bhurlpore (City)	17 7	17 8	16 8	22 13	23 8	20 8	6 12	6 8	6 8	11 4	11 8	7 0	20 11	20 8	21 0	17 11	17 8	...
	Ajmere	No return received	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Deoli Cantonment	16 5	16 7	18 6	20 0	20 6	23 8	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	10 8	20 0	20 0	24 6	16 0	16 0	...
	Erinpura	16 4	16 10	18 0	28 0	29 0	28 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	7 0	22 0	25 0	22 0	22 0	23 0	...
	Sirohee	17 0	17 8	17 0	28 0	28 0	27 0	7 0	7 0	6 8	8 0	8 8	8 0	17 0	17 0	18 0	21 0	21 0	...
	Abu	15 6	15 2	14 12	22 12	22 12	22 12	6 8	6 8	5 8	8 0	8 0	7 4	...	...	...	18 0	18 0	...
	Anadra	17 8	17 0	16 12	26 0	26 0	27 0	7 8	7 0	6 0	9 0	9 0	8 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
CENTRAL INDIA.	Billy Tracts of Meywar	22 0	20 0	24 0	28 0	28 0	42 0	...	...	...	18 0	18 0	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Meywar (Oodeypore)	15 04	14 104	16 04	19 144	19 84	21 14	10 21	10 21	7 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Banswara (Meywar Agency)	22 8	21 4	28 12	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	7 8	18 12	18 12	17 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Partabgarh ( " )	16 11	16 1	18 12	...	...	...	10 15	10 15	7 8	13 7	13 7	11 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Marwar (Jodhpore)	15 15	15 0	14 11	21 4	20 0	18 12	6 4	5 0	5 0	7 8	6 14	6 4	22 8	17 8	18 12	18 12	18 12	...
	Bikaner	No return received	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Boondee	17 0	16 8	25 0	27 0	25 12	32 0	9 0	9 8	8 12	9 8	10 0	9 8	28 4	26 0	30 12	...	...	...
	Kotal	16 8	15 12	25 8	19 4	20 0	31 0	8 12	8 12	8 0	11 0	11 0	10 0	20 4	19 8	42 0	16 0	16 0	...
	Tonk	14 0	14 0	18 2	20 14	20 0	22 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	10 0	10 0	9 0	22 6	21 6	26 7	17 8	16 5	...
	Jhalawar	16 1	14 94	22 74	15 14	15 14	27 14	...	...	...	8 14	8 14	8 154	16 4	16 84	30 11	13 6	13 6	...
CENTRAL INDIA.	Shahpoora	16 0	17 1	18 8	21 8	21 5	22 12	9 4	9 8	9 4	13 2	13 8	13 8	17 0	18 4	42 0	21 6	41 6	...
	Dholpur	17 5	16 13	16 9	23 15	22 8	19 8	10 2	10 2	7 14	12 6	12 6	11 13	21 8	21 6	18 15	20 6	21 8	...
	Indore	14 1	15 0	20 0	...	...	...	19 0	8 9	8 0	12 0	10 0	8 9	20 0	20 0	35 8	20 0	20 0	...
	Gwalior	15 11	15 7	15 10	21 0	20 1	19 3	7 5	7 5	6 14	9 11	9 10	9 6	20 1	18 12	18 0	41 5	41 5	...
CENTRAL INDIA.	Goona	21 0	20 8	28 0	17 0	17 0	21 0	9 12	9 12	9 8	10 0	10 4	10 0	26 0	25 0	35 0	17 0	17 0	...
	Baghelkhand (Sutna)	21 0	21 0	21 10	32 0	32 10	31 15	8 0	8 0	7 0	18 0	17 12	17 7	32 0	32 10	26 6	24 0	24 0	...

\* Not received.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND COMMERCE,  
(Statistical Branch.)



INDIA FOR THE 2nd HALF OF JULY 1882—concluded.

IN SEERS OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millets, Ragi, &c. (Kavara, Veragu, Sawee, Cheena, Coraioo, Murhwa, Nugelee), <i>Panicum Miliaceum</i> , &c.									Gram.						Firewood.						Salt.						DISTRICTS.	PROVINCES.							
Present fortnight.			Past fortnight.			Corresponding fortnight of 1881.			Present fortnight.			Past fortnight.			Corresponding fortnight of 1881.			Present fortnight.			Past fortnight.			Corresponding fortnight of 1881.					Wholesale.			Retail.			
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25	13	25	13	24	3	29	2	29	6	32	14	96	0	96	0	84	0	13	0†	13	0†	10	8†	12	12†	12	12†	10	0†	Bangalore					
29	5	28	13	29	2	30	13	31	15	86	12	172	6	172	6	172	6	12	7†	13	8†	11	5†	12	2†	13	3†	11	1†	Kolar					
32	0	30	0	31	0	37	0	36	0	35	0	340	0	340	0	340	0	9	0†	10	0†	12	8†	8	8†	9	8†	12	0†	Támkár					
20	0	20	0	17	6	30	0	28	0	22	2	72	0	72	0	84	0	8	8†	8	4†	7	13†	8	4†	8	0†	7	11†	Mysore					
24	0	22	0	30	0	26	0	28	8	30	0	600	0	600	0	600	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	0†	8	0†	7	8†	Hassan					
30	7	31	0	45	10	29	6	29	6	40	15	480	0	480	0	480	0	10	8†	10	8†	...	10	0†	10	0†	8	10†	Shimoga						
25	0	25	0	32	0	23	0	23	0	22	0	64	0	64	0	64	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	0†	11	0†	9	0†	Kadur					
36	0	39	0	49	5	30	0	30	0	38	0	100	0	100	0	100	0	12	0†	12	0†	16	0†	12	0†	12	0†	16	0†	Chitaldroog					
19	9	13	14	26	15	20	7	20	14	27	2	110	0	110	0	110	0	9	0	9	1	...	8	6	8	12	7	15	Coorg			COORG			
...	...	...	...	...	...	18	0	17	0	17	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	4	14	0	...	14	0	13	8	11	0	Jeypore						
...	...	...	...	...	...	20	8	20	8	26	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	0	16	0	12	8	Kishengurh						
...	...	...	...	...	...	18	8	18	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	1	13	10	...	13	0	13	8	...	...	Kerrowlee						
...	...	...	...	...	...	22	8	21	2	17	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	13	15	13	...	15	0	15	6	12	4	Ulwar						
...	...	...	...	...	...	21	11	21	0	19	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	0	14	4	...	11	8	14	0	11	8	Bhartpore (City)						
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...	...	...	...	...	...	22	0	23	0	21	4	160	0	170	0	160	0	Rs. A. P. per md.			...	12	0	12	0	10	8	Erinpura							
...	...	...	...	...	...	23	0	22	0	20	0	160	0	160	0	120	0	3	0	0	3	0	0	...	12	5	12	5	11	7	Sirohee				
...	...	...	...	...	...	19	0	18	12	16	6	160	0	160	0	160	0	3	8	0	3	12	0	...	11	0	10	8	10	8	Abu				
...	...	...	...	...	...	21	2	20	12	18	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	4	0	3	8	0	...	12	4	11	8	11	8	Anadra				
...	...	...	...	...	...	26	0	25	0	32	0	\$	...	\$	...	\$	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	0	10	0	8	0	Hilly Tracts of Meywar						
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...	...	...	...	...	...	35	0	35	0	60	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	4	11	4	9	6	Bánswára (Meywar Agency)						
...	...	...	...	...	...	20	15	20	0	30	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	0	10	0	8	12	Partábgarh ( " )						
...	...	...	...	...	...	19	6	18	12	13	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	Rs. A. P. per md.			...	15	0	15	0	14	6	Marwar (Jodhpore)							
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† Sea Salt.

‡ Earth Salt.

§ Eight pies per bundle.

D. M. BARBOUR,  
Secretary to the Government of India.



GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.  
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

*Comparative Statement of the Net Indian Sea and Land Customs Revenue (excluding Salt Revenue) for the first four months of the official year 1882-83, and of the eleven preceding years.*  
(IN THOUSANDS OF RUPEES.)

FOR THE FOUR MONTHS, APRIL TO JULY.																										
YEAR.	BENGAL.				BOMBAY.				SINDH.				MADRAS.				BRITISH BURMA.				TOTAL BRITISH INDIA.				YEAR.	
	On Imports of Liquors.	On other Imports.	On Exports.	Total Revenue.	On Imports of Liquors.	On other Imports.	On Exports.	Total Revenue.	On Imports of Liquors.	On other Imports.	On Exports.	Total Revenue.	On Imports of Liquors.	On other Imports.	On Exports.	Total Revenue.	On Imports of Liquors.	On other Imports.	On Exports.	Total Revenue.	On Imports of Liquors.	On other Imports.	On Exports.	Total Revenue.		
1871-72.	3.38	21.67	7.18	32.23	2.81	10.10	1.33	14.24	41	32	41	1.14	1.19	3.94	4.94	10.07	45	1.36	7.73	9.54	8.24	37.39	45.63	21.59	67.22	1871-72.
1872-73.	4.37	21.36	6.97	32.70	1.80	12.99	1.21	16.00	39	29	80	1.48	1.40	4.28	4.00	9.68	1.13	1.67	14.56	17.36	9.09	40.59	49.68	27.54	77.22	1872-73.
1873-74.	3.63	20.85	5.26	29.74	2.15	11.54	1.26	14.95	42	21	36	99	1.32	4.59	4.93	10.84	1.20	1.55	12.41	15.16	8.72	38.74	47.46	24.22	71.68	1873-74.
1874-75.	4.04	24.63	4.40	33.07	2.19	12.28	1.34	15.81	43	16	39	98	1.17	4.89	4.56	10.62	1.48	2.35	8.57	12.40	9.31	44.31	53.62	19.26	72.88	1874-75.
1875-76.	3.88	27.24	5.90	37.02	2.41	13.70	3.25	19.36	44	31	80	1.55	1.49	5.07	5.25	11.81	1.23	1.45	15.72	18.40	9.45	47.77	57.22	30.92	88.14	1875-76.
1876-77.	4.32	20.34	3.64	28.30	2.76	10.94	45	14.15	41	18	8	67	1.92	4.20	3.10	9.22	1.65	1.74	10.62	14.01	11.06	37.40	48.46	17.89	66.35	1876-77.
1877-78.	5.14	25.71	3.72	34.57	3.13	13.21	48	16.82	75	25	14	1.14	1.71	2.52	63	4.86	1.81	1.94	8.87	12.62	12.54	43.63	56.17	13.84	70.01	1877-78.
1878-79.	4.51	21.09	4.61	30.21	2.88	12.57	70	16.15	63	14	9	86	2.00	3.47	1.52	6.99	2.68	2.36	10.99	16.08	12.70	39.63	52.33	17.91	70.24	1878-79.
1879-80.	3.95	19.59	2.76	26.30	3.03	10.36	73	14.12	100	29	7	1.36	1.73	2.78	1.74	6.25	2.39	1.84	14.45	18.68	12.10	34.86	46.96	19.75	66.71	1879-80.
1880-81.	4.46	17.54	3.01	25.01	2.90	13.71	63	17.24	150	34	9	1.93	1.78	3.42	3.33	8.83	1.67	2.37	14.38	18.42	12.81	37.38	49.69	21.44	71.13	1880-81.
1881-82.	4.66	17.46	4.62	26.74	3.56	13.30	60	17.46	137	50	12	1.99	1.76	3.43	2.54	7.73	2.34	2.35	16.77	21.46	13.69	27.04	50.73	24.65	75.38	1881-82.
1882-83.	4.82	11	4.90	9.83	3.58	—82*	52	3.28	116	8	20	1.39	1.79	...	1.38	3.17	2.97	4	22.56	25.57	14.32	—61*	13.68	29.56	43.24	1882-83.

\* The amount refunded is greater than the duty collected.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND COMMERCE,  
STATISTICAL BRANCH;  
Calcutta, 21st August 1882.

D. M. BARBOUR,  
Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.  
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

IRRIGATION OPERATIONS OF FASL KHARIF, N.-W. PROVINCES, 1882, UP TO 30th JUNE 1882.

CANAL DIVISION.	WATER DISTRIBUTED DURING JUNE 1882.				Total area of irrigation during current year.	Total area for the corresponding period of last year.	Zila.	LAND IRRIGATED (APPROXIMATE).										RAIN-FALL.	REMARKS.
	DEPTH IN CANAL AT REGULATING GAUGE IN FEET.		GROSS CONSUMPTION, CUBIC FEET PER SECOND.	Actual average throughout.				Allotted discharge.	Actual average throughout.	Rice.	Cotton.	Other food grains.	Fodder crops.	Miscellaneous.	Total.	Average of ten previous years for the same period.			
	Full supply.	Actual average throughout.																	
UPPER GANGES.	Northern.	10-00	...	740	602	40,665	28,893	Saharanpur	19,393	1,886	6,882	467	102	98	1,577	30,405	2-4	2-6	Entering head of Ganges Canal "

From the 1st to 10th all water was being used up for sugar irrigation. From the 10th to 20th no water was used; during the latter portion of the month water was in demand for rice. Considerable floods came down the hill rivers on 12th and 20th. Excessive rainfall of 9 and 10 inches recorded on 7th July, and rivers in east portion of division; the Balguli, Pangauli, Abaria, and Deolia were in extraordinarily high flood, and the whole country between them inundated.

ALLAHABAD,

The 1st August 1882.

G. H. D. WALKER,

Asst. Secy. to Govt., N.-W. P. and Oudh,  
P. W. D., Irrigation Branch.

Executive Engineer, Meerut Division, reports that the demand was small. The Meerut Division was the 12th June. The supply from 700 to 970 was distributed. This gave great relief as there was a great drought with constant hot wind, and no rain fell till the 28th June, and then only one inch on the average, wholly insufficient for ploughing and sowing.

Executive Engineer, Mainpuri Division, reports that the demand was small. The Mainpuri Division was the 12th June. The supply from 700 to 970 was distributed. This gave great relief as there was a great drought with constant hot wind, and no rain fell till the 28th June, and then only one inch on the average, wholly insufficient for ploughing and sowing.

Executive Engineer, Rohilkhand Canals, reports that the demand was small. The Rohilkhand Canals were the 12th June. The supply from 700 to 970 was distributed. This gave great relief as there was a great drought with constant hot wind, and no rain fell till the 28th June, and then only one inch on the average, wholly insufficient for ploughing and sowing.

Executive Engineer, Agra Canal, reports that the demand was small. The Agra Canal was the 12th June. The supply from 700 to 970 was distributed. This gave great relief as there was a great drought with constant hot wind, and no rain fell till the 28th June, and then only one inch on the average, wholly insufficient for ploughing and sowing.

Executive Engineer, Hamirpur Canals, reports that the demand was small. The Hamirpur Canals were the 12th June. The supply from 700 to 970 was distributed. This gave great relief as there was a great drought with constant hot wind, and no rain fell till the 28th June, and then only one inch on the average, wholly insufficient for ploughing and sowing.

Executive Engineer, Jhansi Canals, reports that the demand was small. The Jhansi Canals were the 12th June. The supply from 700 to 970 was distributed. This gave great relief as there was a great drought with constant hot wind, and no rain fell till the 28th June, and then only one inch on the average, wholly insufficient for ploughing and sowing.

Executive Engineer, Bareilly Canals, reports that the demand was small. The Bareilly Canals were the 12th June. The supply from 700 to 970 was distributed. This gave great relief as there was a great drought with constant hot wind, and no rain fell till the 28th June, and then only one inch on the average, wholly insufficient for ploughing and sowing.

Executive Engineer, Pilibhit Canals, reports that the demand was small. The Pilibhit Canals were the 12th June. The supply from 700 to 970 was distributed. This gave great relief as there was a great drought with constant hot wind, and no rain fell till the 28th June, and then only one inch on the average, wholly insufficient for ploughing and sowing.

Executive Engineer, Dehra Dun Canals, reports that the demand was small. The Dehra Dun Canals were the 12th June. The supply from 700 to 970 was distributed. This gave great relief as there was a great drought with constant hot wind, and no rain fell till the 28th June, and then only one inch on the average, wholly insufficient for ploughing and sowing.

Executive Engineer, Gurgaon Canals, reports that the demand was small. The Gurgaon Canals were the 12th June. The supply from 700 to 970 was distributed. This gave great relief as there was a great drought with constant hot wind, and no rain fell till the 28th June, and then only one inch on the average, wholly insufficient for ploughing and sowing.

Executive Engineer, Etawah Canals, reports that the demand was small. The Etawah Canals were the 12th June. The supply from 700 to 970 was distributed. This gave great relief as there was a great drought with constant hot wind, and no rain fell till the 28th June, and then only one inch on the average, wholly insufficient for ploughing and sowing.

Executive Engineer, Fatehgarh Canals, reports that the demand was small. The Fatehgarh Canals were the 12th June. The supply from 700 to 970 was distributed. This gave great relief as there was a great drought with constant hot wind, and no rain fell till the 28th June, and then only one inch on the average, wholly insufficient for ploughing and sowing.

Executive Engineer, Mainpuri Canals, reports that the demand was small. The Mainpuri Canals were the 12th June. The supply from 700 to 970 was distributed. This gave great relief as there was a great drought with constant hot wind, and no rain fell till the 28th June, and then only one inch on the average, wholly insufficient for ploughing and sowing.



## STATEMENT OF TRAFFIC ON THE AGRA CANAL FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE 1882.

NATURE OF TRAFFIC.		AGRA CANAL.						REMARKS.	
PRINCIPAL ITEMS OF TRAFFIC.									
Up.		Down.		Total up and down.		Particulars.	AGRA CANAL.		
Mds.	No.	Mds.	No.	Mds.	No.		1882.		1881.
Grains—									
Wheat	375	4,450	...	4,825	...			2,593	
Gram	...	2,150	...	2,150	...			289,692	
Rice	...	...	...	...	...			61,550	
Paddy or dhán	...	...	...	...	...			...	
Bejhar or mixed grain	...	...	...	...	...			...	
Dal—									
Urd	...	1,025	...	1,025	...				
Mung	...	...	...	...	...				
Arhar	...	1,250	...	1,250	...				
Masuri	...	...	...	...	...				
Juar	...	...	...	...	...				
Báija	...	1,025	...	1,025	...				
Maize or Indian-corn	...	...	...	...	...				
Barley	...	...	...	...	...				
TOTAL	375	9,900	...	10,275	...				
Cotton	...	585	...	585	...				
Oilseeds	...	...	...	...	...				
Salt	...	...	...	...	...				
Metals	...	...	...	...	...				
Building materials	14,087	...	...	14,087	...				
Miscellaneous goods	300	3,390	...	3,690	...				
Firewood	...	80	...	80	...				
Bamboos	...	110	...	110	...				
Timber—									
Poles and unsquared timber	...	1,090	...	1,090	...				
Karis and squared timber	...	...	...	...	...				
Logs	...	...	...	...	...				
Miscellaneous timber	...	...	...	...	...				
Live-stock	...	...	...	...	...				
GRAND TOTAL	14,762	15,155	...	29,917	...				
TOTAL DURING CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF LAST YEAR	22,425	47,994	...	70,419	...				
INCREASE	...	...	...	...	...				
DECREASE	33,232	7,270	...	40,502	...				

Particulars.	AGRA CANAL.	
	1882.	1881.
Tonnage, including weight of timber and bamboos	1,009	2,586
Value of goods	117,474	239,092
Number of passengers	46,089	61,559
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G. H. D. WALKER,  
Asst. Secy to Govt. W. P. and Oudh,  
Irrigation Branch.



TRAFFIC ON UPPER AND LOWER GANGES CANALS FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE 1882.														
UPPER GANGES CANAL.					LOWER GANGES CANAL.					UPPER AND LOWER GANGES CANALS.				
PRINCIPAL ITEMS OF LOCAL TRAFFIC.					PRINCIPAL ITEMS OF LOCAL TRAFFIC.					PRINCIPAL ITEMS OF LOCAL AND THROUGH TRAFFIC.				
Up.					Down.					Up.				
Mds.	Nos.	Mds.	Nos.	Total up and down.	Mds.	Nos.	Mds.	Nos.	Total up and down.	Mds.	Nos.	Mds.	Nos.	Total up and down.
GRAINS.														
Wheat	995	6,331	175	7,496	1,451	121	1,451	121	1,572	2,490	872	7,574	300	10,164
Gram	2,963	3,263	...	6,226	...	...	...	...	...	4,414	...	...	...	4,414
Rice	75	75	...	150	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	872
Paddy or dhán	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bejbar or mixed grain	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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Mung	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Arhar	75	75	...	150	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
(Masuri)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Juár	74	374	...	448	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bája	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Maize or Indian-corn	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Barley	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	4,182	11,118	175	4,357	3,060	...	3,060	...	3,235	11,728	...	11,325	...	23,053
Cotton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Oilseeds	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Salt	300	60	...	360	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Metals	220	598	...	818	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Building materials	5,303	22,339	...	27,642	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Miscellaneous goods	1,387	2,357	...	3,744	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Firewood	8,800	4,638	...	13,438	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bamboos	...	43,728	874,560	43,728	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Poles and un-	...	11,025	11,025	11,025	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
squared timber.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Karis and squared	200	11,233	11,233	11,433	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
timber.	210	35	2	245	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Logs	...	947	1,894	1,894	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Miscellaneous timber	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Live-stock	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
GRAND TOTAL	20,602	102,409	898,714	123,011	898,925	18,534	310	69,179	89,240	87,713	89,550	13,875	97	53,011
TOTAL DURING CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF LAST YEAR.	31,636	1,280	672,082	135,560	673,362	7,464	12,351	36,353	131,430	43,817	143,781	9,944	3,038	49,044
INCREASE	...	...	226,632	...	225,563	11,070	...	32,826	...	43,896	...	3,931	...	39,185
DECREASE	11,034	1,069	...	12,549	...	...	12,041	...	42,190	...	54,321	...	2,941	...
Particulars.														
Upper Ganges Canal (local).					Lower Ganges Canal (local).					Upper and Lower Ganges Canals (through).				
1881.					1882.					1881.				
5,021					4,519					8,431				
217,945					342,116					8,001,169				
Rs. 48,956					1,13,771					3,92,455				
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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,  
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.  
IRRIGATION BRANCH.

IRRIGATION OPERATIONS IN BENGAL FOR 1882-83.

*Areas leased for irrigation up to end of June 1882.*

Circle.	District.	Canal.	SUPPLY OF WATER IN THE CANALS.			FIVE-YEAR LEASES.			THREE-YEAR LEASES.			ANNUAL LEASES.			RABI.			SUGARCANE.			GRAND TOTAL.				RAINFALL.			REMARKS.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																								
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## REVENUE AND AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 5Fh., dated 25th August 1882.

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## CLASS I.

## FISHING.

*Section I.—Sea Fishing.*

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| Division | 1  | (1) Gear of every description and of all nations used in trawl, herring, long line, hand line, and every other mode or system of fishing, including all nets, lines, hooks, harpoons, tackle, &c., employed in the same.                       |
| Division | 2  | (2) Oyster dredges, crab, lobster, prawn, &c., pots, and other appliances for catching fish of this description.   |
|          |    | (3) Fishing craft of all nations, models, and representations of the same.   |
| Division | 3  | (i) Steam fishing vessels and steam carriers.  |
| Division | 4  | (ii) Fishing vessels and boats other than steam vessels.   |
| Division | 5  | (4) Ropes and canvas suitable to fishing vessels.  |
| Division | 6  | (5) Steam capstans, compasses, barometers, telescopes, lights, lamps, fog horns, systems of signalling at night for fishing fleets and vessels, electric lights, luminous paint, and other equipment of fishing vessels, charts for fishermen. |
| Division | 7  | (6) Models of harbours, piers, and slips for fishing purposes.   |
| Division | 8  | (7) Fishing tackle and netting in different stages of preparation, and machinery used for working up the raw material.   |
| Division | 9  | (8) Life-boats, their equipment, and life-saving apparatus of every description.   |
| Division | 10 | (9) Appliances and methods for breaking the force of the sea at the entrance of harbours and elsewhere.  |
| Division | 11 | (10) Methods of communication from the shore to light-ships and fishing fleets by submarine cables.  |
| Division | 12 | (11) Methods of protecting submarine cables from injury by fishing operations (illustrated by models and drawings).  |

*Section II.—Freshwater fishing.*

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| Division | 13 | (1) Salmon nets and fixed appliances for catching salmonidæ in all their varieties.            |
| Division | 14 | (2) Salmon rods, reels, lines, artificial flies and baits, gaffs, spears, creels, &c.          |
| Division | 15 | (3) Trout rods, reels, landing nets, lines, artificial flies, baits, baskets, bags, &c.        |
| Division | 16 | (4) Pike, barbel, and other coarse fish-rods, reels and tackle, artificial spinning baits, &c. |
| Division | 17 | (5) Traps, nets, bucks, wheels, and all kinds of apparatus for catching eels, lampreys, &c.    |
| Division | 18 | (6) Hooks, &c.   |
| Division | 19 | (7) Anglers' apparel of every description.   |
| Division | 20 | (8) boats, punts, cobbles, collapsible, portable, &c., in models or otherwise.                 |

NOTE.—The above classification is suggested as a convenient one for this class, but it is not intended to exclude any objects which come within the class.

## CLASS II.

## ECONOMIC CONDITION OF FISHERMEN.

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| Division | 21 | (1) Apparel and personal equipment.   |
| Division | 22 | (2) Food and medicine chests.   |
| Division | 23 | (3) Models and plans of dwellings.  |
| Division | 24 | (4) Contracts of partnerships; insurances of life, boats, gear, &c.; benefit societies. |

## CLASS III.

## COMMERCIAL AND ECONOMIC.

*1.—Preparation, preservation, and utilisation of fish.**(a) For edible purposes—*

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| Division | 25 | (i) Models of fish-curing establishments; methods of, and models and other representations of, any appliances for drying, curing, salting, smoking, tinning, cooking, &c. |
| Division | 26 | (ii) Fish dried, smoked, cured, salted, tinned, or otherwise prepared for food.   |

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Division	27	(iii) All products prepared from fish, such as oils, roes, isinglas, &c.
Division	28	(iv) Antiseptics suitable for preserving fish for food.
Division	29	(b) For other than edible purposes—
Division	30	(i) Oils, manures, and other products prepared from fish.
Division	31	(ii) Methods of, and models and other representations of appliances for, preparing oils and manures from fish.
Division	32	(iii) Sea and fresh water pearl shells; mother-of-pearl manufactured; pearls sorted.
		(iv) Preparation and application of sponges, corals, pearls, shells, and all parts and products of aquatic animals, &c., to purposes useful and ornamental, with specimens.
		2.— <i>Transport and sale of fish.</i>
Division	33	(a) Appliances for carrying fish and for preserving fish during transport or otherwise, and models of the same.
Division	34	(b) Models of fish markets, and appliances connected with the same.

## CLASS IV.

## FISH CULTURE.

Division	35	(1) Models or drawings of fish hatching, breeding and rearing establishments, including oyster and other shellfish grounds; and all apparatus and implements connected with the same, and for transporting fish and fish ova; food for fry.
Division	36	(2) Representations illustrative of the development and progressive growth of fish.
Division	37	(3) Models and drawings of fish passes and fish ladders.
		(4) Scientific investigation.
Division	38	(i) Models and drawing of diseases of fish, with special reference to their origin and cure.
Division	39	(ii) Processes for rendering streams polluted by sewage and chemical or other works innocuous to fish life (illustrated by models and drawings).
Division	40	(iii) Physico-chemical investigation into those qualities of salt and fresh water which affect aquatic animals; investigation of the bottom of the sea and of lakes, shown by samples; aquatic plants in relation to fishing, &c.; researches into the aquatic fauna (animals of the several classes preserved in alcohol or prepared, &c.); apparatus and implements used in such researches.
Division	41	(5) Acclimatisation of fish.

## CLASS V.

## NATURAL HISTORY.

*Aquaria.*

		(1) Specimens living (marine and fresh water), fresh, stuffed or preserved, casts, drawings and representations of—
Division	42	(a) Algæ arranged according to their various species and localities.
Division	43	(b) Sponges, in their natural state.
Division	44	(c) Corals, in their natural state, polyps, jelly-fish, &c.
Division	45	(d) Entozoa.
Division	46	(e) Mollusca of all kinds and shells not included in Class III.
Division	47	(f) Star-fishes, sea urchins, holothurians.
Division	48	(g) Worms used for bait, or noxious; leeches, &c.
Division	49	(h) Perfect insects and larvæ of insects, which are destroyers of spawn or serve as food for fish.
Division	50	(i) Crustacea of all kinds.
Division	51	(k) FISH OF ALL KINDS.
Division	52	(l) Reptiles, such as tortoises, turtles, terrapins, lizards, serpents, frogs, newts, &c.
Division	53	(m) Aquatic and other birds hostile to fish or fishing.
Division	54	(n) Aquatic and amphibious mammalia (otters, seals, whales, &c.) and others detrimental to fish.
Division	55	(2) Works on Ichthyology. Maps illustrating geographical distribution, migration, &c., of fishes and spawn.
Division	56	(3) Specimens and representations illustrative of the relations between extinct and existing fishes.



Exhibitors to quote  
the number in this  
column.

## CLASS VI.

## HISTORY AND LITERATURE OF

*Fishing—Fishery Laws—Fish Commerce.*

Division	57	(1) Ancient fishing implements or their reproductions—models—pictures—books—emblems—charters and seals of ancient fishermen guilds.
Division	58	(2) Fishery laws of different countries,
Division	59	(3) Copies of treaties, conventions, &c., dealing with international fishery relations.
Division	60	(4) Reports, statistics and literature of fish, fishing, and fisheries.
Division	61	(5) Reports on acclimatisation of fish, and of attempts in this direction.

## CLASS VII.

## LOAN COLLECTIONS.

*Collections within the scope of the foregoing classes.*

*Money Prizes.*

The Committee will be prepared to receive and consider the offer of money prizes for any special exhibits or essays connected with the objects of the exhibition.

## ESSAYS.

*Preliminary notice.*

Prizes of £100 will be given for each of the following subjects, viz. :—

- (1) The Natural History of commercial fishes of Great Britain, with special reference to such parts of their natural history as bear upon their production and commercial use.
- (2) Relations of the State with fishermen and fisheries, including all matters dealing with their protection, regulation, &c.
- (3) On the possible increase of the supply of fish, and on improved facilities for their economic transmission and distribution.

Conferences are proposed to be held for the purpose of reading and discussing papers on subjects connected with the exhibition.

## REGULATIONS.

## The Great International Fisheries Exhibition.

### LONDON, 1883.

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| Royal Patronage.                        | 1. A Great International Fisheries Exhibition, under the patronage of Her Majesty the Queen and the Presidency of H. R. H. the Prince of Wales, will be held in London in 1883.  |
| Date.                                   | 2. The Exhibition will be opened on the 1st of May, and continue open for a period of not less than six months.  |
| Objects.                                | 3. The principal objects to be admitted are comprised in the annexed classification, which is intended to include all kinds of specimens of fish life, and to illustrate all the modes by which the <i>marine</i> and <i>fresh water</i> animals of economic value are captured and utilised, together with the commercial, scientific social, historic and legislative aspects of such fisheries.   |
| Rewards.                                | 4. Medals in gold, silver, and bronze, and diplomas of honour, will be awarded by a jury, the composition of which will be settled later.  |
| All expenses to be borne by exhibitors. | 5. No charge will be made for space, but exhibitors will have to pay every expense of transit, delivery, fixing, and removing their exhibits, and they must, either personally or by their agents, superintend the reception and installation, and, at the close of the exhibition, the removal of their goods; in default thereof, the Committee reserves to itself the right of doing whatever may be considered necessary, and at the expense of the exhibitor. |
| Applications.                           | 6. Applications for admission must be made on printed forms, which will be supplied on application; these are to be sent to the General Secretary in London on or before the 1st July 1882, except under special arrangements or concessions.  |
| Allotment.                              | 7. The General Secretary will, before the 1st October 1882, or as soon after as practicable, notify to applicants the decision of the Committee, and will indicate the space, if any, which has been accorded to them, and give to each a number.  |

*N.B.*—With reference to Rule "6," an extension of time till September 1st, 1882, will be granted to distant colonies and countries.

- Loan Department. 8. Contributors to the Loan Department are requested to communicate with the Secretary, who will supply forms to be filled up by them.
- Foreign Countries. 9. The Foreign Correspondents that may be appointed are invited to enter as soon as possible into communication with the General Secretary. The correspondent will be charged with the consideration of all questions relative to the distribution of the space allotted to his country. The Committee will therefore not correspond directly with foreign exhibitors, except in those countries where no correspondent is appointed.
- Foreign Countries. 10. The Committee will place at the disposal of foreign correspondents all information and plans that may be useful for their arrangements.
- Foreign Countries. 11. The applicants for space from countries in which no correspondent has been appointed will correspond directly with the General Secretary of the Committee.
- Railway rates. 12. The Committee will endeavour to obtain, from the various English Railway Companies, special terms for the conveyance of exhibits to and from the exhibition, and should they succeed in doing so such arrangements will be communicated to intending exhibitors.
- Railways, &c. 13. The Committee will not interfere in any way between the Railway Companies, the carriers, and the exhibitors, with reference to the despatch, transmission, reception, management, or return of goods exhibited.
- Marks on packages. 14. All packages containing goods intended for exhibition must have painted on them the distinctive mark (I.F.E.) in red paint, and they must also have painted on them the name and number of the exhibitor.
- Waybills. 15. The waybill accompanying all packages must contain the name of the exhibitor, his number, and address.
- Exhibitors or Agents to receive own goods, &c. 16. Each exhibitor must provide, either personally or through an agent for the despatch, transmission, reception, unpacking, and arrangement of his goods, and for the verification of their contents when unpacked. If neither the exhibitor nor his agent be present to receive the packages on arrival at the Exhibition, the carrier will be directed to take them away; but should any goods be deposited in the exhibition premises during the absence of the exhibitor or his agent, the Committee will not be responsible for any loss or damage from whatsoever cause arising.
- Foreign packages. 17. Packages from foreign countries must likewise have painted on them in distinctive marks the letters (I.F.E.) in red paint. They must be addressed to the exhibitor himself or his agent. They must all be marked in such a way as to show distinctly from whence they come, the name of the country, and the number of the exhibitor being painted legibly thereon.
- Passages. 18. *Exhibition Spaces.*—The space granted to an exhibitor within the building is available for floor space exclusive of the passages for the public.
- Show Cases. 19. *Show Cases.*—No particular form or design is prescribed for cases, counters, platforms, &c., but they must not exceed the following heights without the special written permission of the Committee:—  

Show cases and partitions,	10 feet	above the floor.
Counters	3	"
Platforms	1 foot	"
- Railings. 20. Exhibitors may place railings of a uniform height of 2 feet 6 inches above the floor level. In every instance the railings must be within the area of the "stand," i.e., the space allotted.
- Floors. 21. The flooring must not be altered, removed, or strengthened for the convenience of arrangement, except by sanction of the Committee, and at the expense of the exhibitor.
- No Obstructions. 22. No exhibitor will be permitted to display exhibits in such a manner as to obstruct the light or vistas through the avenues, or to occasion inconvenience, injury, or otherwise disadvantageously affect the display of other exhibitors.
- Decorations. 23. *Decorations.*—In order to ensure uniformity of decoration and general good effect, no exhibitor will be allowed to put up any flags, banners, or other kind of decoration without permission.
- Signs. 24. *Signs.*—No sign or name board may be placed otherwise than parallel with the main passages, that is, parallel with the frontage of the respective stands, and should be as near to the back of the space as possible, so as not to interfere with the vista. The signs to be black and gold. All signs must be hung subject to the approval of the Director.
- Placards. 25. No printed or written bills may be displayed unless they are neat in design.
- Exhibitors' Offices. 26. *Offices.*—Any exhibitor who may obtain permission to erect an office on his allotted space must conform to the following rules:—  
The office must not exceed 8 feet in height; must be placed at the back of the stand, unless otherwise sanctioned; and must be painted black and varnished, with gilt beadings.



Empty Cases, immediate removal.	27. The spaces outside the allotments for exhibitors being required for the necessities of circulation, packages and empty cases will not be allowed to remain there. Cases must be unpacked as fast as received, and the empty cases taken away by the exhibitors or their agents. The Committee decline to accept any responsibility with reference to empty cases, which must be at once removed from the building at the expense of exhibitors.
Empty Cases.	28. The Committee will have nothing whatever to do with warehousing or the preservation of empty cases, or reserve any space for the purpose.
Exhibitors to keep Stands clean.	29. Exhibitors will be required to provide all necessary attendance and to keep their stands and exhibits properly cleaned and in good order during the whole period of the Exhibition.
Non-transfer.	30. No exhibitor will be allowed to transfer any allotment, or to allow any other than his own duly admitted exhibits to be placed thereon, except by permission of the Committee.
Exhibitor's Name.	31. All goods exhibited must be in the name of the person who signed the application form.
Selling Price.	32. Exhibitors, being traders, are requested to mark the selling price of the articles exhibited complete, so as to facilitate the judgment of the jury, as well as for the information of visitors.
Non-removal and Perishable Articles.	33. Objects sold cannot be taken away before the close of the Exhibition without the special permission of the Committee. Special arrangements will be made with regard to perishable exhibits.
Water, Gas, or Steam Machinery in motion.	34. Exhibitors of apparatus requiring the use of water, gas or steam must state on applying for admission the quantity of water, gas or steam which they may consider necessary. Those who wish to show machinery in motion must state the rate of speed at which the machine is to be driven. The furnishing of all counter shafting, pulleys, gas, water, steam, &c., must be at the entire expense of the exhibitor, but under the direct control of the Committee or their appointed officer.
Dangerous Substances.	35. All fulminating and explosive substances and all dangerous substances are absolutely forbidden to be sent.
Receptacles.	36. Spirits, alcohol, oils, essences, corrosive substances, and generally all substances which might spoil other articles or inconvenience the public, can only be received in solid and suitable vessels of small size.
Catalogue.	37. The Committee reserve the sole right of compiling a catalogue of the exhibits under regulations which will be duly notified. Each nation will, however, have the right to produce at its own expense, but in its own language only, a catalogue of all the objects in its own Section.
Hand-bills.	38. All hand-bills, printed matter, &c., for gratuitous distribution, connected with exhibits, will be under special regulations and must first receive the approval and permission of the Committee, or the Director, which may be withdrawn at any time.
No Photographs, &c.	39. No article exhibited may be photographed, drawn, copied or reproduced in any manner whatsoever without the special sanction of the Committee.
Non-liability for loss or damage.	40. The Committee will not hold itself responsible for any loss or damage occurring to any exhibit from any cause whatsoever; but while declining any responsibility, it is the intention of the Committee to take such precautions as they deem necessary.
Future arrangement as to Date of Reception and Jury.	41. Future regulations will settle in due time the arrangements for the date of reception, location of goods, tickets of admission for exhibitors and assistants, and the formation and working of the jury.
Right to alter Rules.	42. The right to add to, alter, amend, or expunge any of these rules is reserved by the Committee.
All Rules binding.	43. Both Englishmen and Foreigners in becoming exhibitor declare by so doing their compliance with the whole of these regulations, together with such other regulations as the Committee may issue from time to time.
Non-liability for Accidents.	44. The Committee reserve the right to remove the objects belonging to any exhibitor who shall not conform to the regulations.
	45. If any damage or injury shall be caused or occasioned during the exhibition by any exhibited machine, implement, or article to any visitor or other person, or to any officer, servant, or others then and there employed by the Committee of the Great International Fisheries Exhibition, 1883, then the exhibitor to whom such machinery, implement, or article may belong shall indemnify and hold harmless the said Committee from and against all actions, suits, expenses, and claims on account or in respect of any such damage or injury which may be so caused or occasioned.



# The Great International Fisheries Exhibition.

## LONDON, 1883.

### APPLICATION FOR SPACE.

SUBMITTED TO THE SECRETARY FOR APPROVAL.

Name of Exhibitor \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

General Condensed Description of Exhibits \_\_\_\_\_

Total Ground Space \_\_\_\_\_ feet superficial.

Total continuous Counter Space \_\_\_\_\_ feet run.

Total Wall Space \_\_\_\_\_ feet superficial.

As per details on next page,  
(See over.)

If apparatus requires use of water, gas or steam, state quantity.

(See Regulation 34.)

1st, Water \_\_\_\_\_

2nd, Gas \_\_\_\_\_

3rd, Steam \_\_\_\_\_

If Machinery in motion, state speed, &c. \_\_\_\_\_

(See Regulation 34.)

I hereby engage to abide by all the Rules and Regulations either already made, or to be made, by the Committee.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Exhibitor.

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 1882.

N.B.—This form should be filled up and sent to the Secretary of "THE GREAT INTERNATIONAL FISHERIES EXHIBITION, LONDON, 1883," 24, Haymarket, S.W., before the 1st July 1883.



Name of Exhibitor

Particulars of the Space asked for overleaf.	"Division." (See Classification.)	Ground Space. For large or weighty articles, or large Show-Cases.		Dimensions of Largest Article.	Space for continuous Counter, 3 feet 6 inches broad, 3 feet high. (See Note below.)	If Goods to be Exhibited in a Show-Case, "Yes" or "No."	* Wall Space (in feet). Height. Width. Projection.	Remarks.
		Length.	Breadth.					
In Class I	No.	feet.	feet.	by	Feet run.			
In Class II	No.	feet.	feet.	by				
In Class III	No.	feet.	feet.	by				
In Class IV	No.	feet.	feet.	by				
In Class V	No.	feet.	feet.	by				
In Class VI	No.	feet.	feet.	by				
		Total Area Ground Space in superficial feet ... } (As per other side.)						

Exhibitors are requested to keep a copy of their applications for reference in future correspondence.  
\* Wall space will most likely not be contiguous to the Stands for other Exhibits.

N.B.—It is requested that wherever possible Show-Cases and exhibits may be placed on continuous counters, as above.

LIST OF EXHIBITS PROPOSED TO BE SHOWN  
IN THE SPACE APPLIED FOR.

By \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

*N.B.—Small Articles of the same description must be entered as a collection of, or sets of, or samples of, &c., and be described under a single "Article Number."*

Here } CLASS No. }

SPECIAL NOTICE.—A separate form must be filled up for each Class.

DIVISION.	See Schedule and Classification.—Articles to be entered according to the consecutive "Division Number" to which they belong.	Approximate Weight if over 5 cwt.	Measurement in Feet.		
			Length.	Width.	Height.
	SHORT Description of Article.				
Division No.	Article No. 1				
Division No.	Article No. 2				
Division N	Article No. 3				
Division No.	Article No. 4				
Division No.	Article No. 5				
Division No.	Article No. 6				
Division No.	Article No. 7				
Division No.	Article No. 8				
Division No.	Article No. 9				
Division No.	Article No. 10				
Division No.	Article No. 11				
Division No.	Article No. 12				

Exhibitors can procure more Blank Forms on application, and they are requested to be particular in putting the Article's running number, and to keep a copy of the entire entry for reference in future correspondence.



**REPORTS ON THE STATE OF THE SEASON AND PROSPECTS OF THE CROPS FOR  
THE WEEK ENDING THE 22nd AUGUST 1882.**

**GENERAL REMARKS.**—During the week under report more or less good falls of rain have occurred throughout Assam and the Bengal provinces, as well as in most parts of the North-Western Provinces and Oudh, of Central India, and of the Central Provinces and British Burma, in some parts of the Bombay Presidency, in the Nizam's Territories and in Mysore, and the Madras Presidency.

Agricultural prospects continue satisfactory on the whole. In the Madras Presidency and Mysore some districts require more rain. In Coorg a short break in the wet weather has proved beneficial to all crops. In the Nizam's Territories *kharif* crops are prospering. In Berar they and the cotton crops are in good condition, but more rain is required in one taluk. In the Bombay Presidency all crops are progressing favourably, except in parts of five districts where more rain is wanted. In the Central Provinces a partial break in the rains has improved crops. In the Central India and Rajputana States prospects are favourable, but more rain is needed in Alwar, Sirohi, and Marwar. In the Punjab the want of more rain is felt in eight districts, and in three of these very much so. In the North-Western Provinces and Oudh all crops have been benefited by the rainfall of the week, but a further fall would be beneficial everywhere, especially in Oudh. In Bengal also more rain is wanted in some districts, but the recent rain has much improved prospects of all crops. In Assam some rice crops are being harvested and others are being transplanted. In British Burma the progress of crops is satisfactory.

The general tendency of the barometer towards a rise at the end of the preceding week was again, after a few slight variations, followed by a fall which became general on the 22nd and continued the next day.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week preceding.	State of agricultural prospects.
<b>Madras—(Aug. 23rd)</b>		
Bellary ...	1·01 (average of four stations).	Standing wet crops good, dry withering in one taluk; agricultural operations progressing.
Kurnool ...	1·0 (average of eight stations).	Young crops reviving by recent rain; more rain wanted; cattle-disease in parts.
Ganjam ...	2·11 (average of nine stations).	Standing crops thriving; rain wanted for transplanting paddy in one taluk; fever, small-pox, and cattle-disease continue; cholera subsiding.
Kistna ...	·42 (average of nine stations).	Crops withering; rain wanted; agricultural operations progressing; small-pox, fever, and guinea-worm in parts; cattle-disease general.
Chingleput (Madras) ...	1·77 (average of eleven stations).	Standing crops good where water available; agricultural operations progressing; small-pox slight.
Coimbatore ...	·88 (average of ten stations).	Standing crops, paddy promising well, dry require rain in parts and damaged by insects in one taluk; harvest dry crops, outturn about average; small-pox and cholera in parts; cattle-disease appearing in three taluks.
Tanjore ...	2·60 (average of twelve stations).	Crops good, except in parts affected by breaches, but withering in parts of one taluk for want of rain; cattle-disease in parts.
Madura ...	·82 (average of six stations).	Standing crops fair in two taluks, but withering in one; harvest paddy and <i>cumbu</i> , yield about average; cholera in parts.
Malabar ...	1·15 (average of fourteen stations).	First crops generally good; fever, cholera, small-pox, and cattle-disease in parts.
Travancore ...	·47	Paddy ripening; fever prevalent.
<b>Bombay—(Aug. 23rd)</b>		
Kurrachee ...	No rain	River at Kotri on 21st, 19 feet 11 inches against 16½ feet on same date last year; fever in five talukas; rats doing some damage to crops in two talukas; wheat, red rice, and <i>bajri</i> in Kurrachee 22, 34 and 23, in Kotri 30, 32 and 44, in Tatta 23, 36 and 44, and in Mirpur Botoro 20, 48 and 40 lbs. per rupee, respectively; in Sujawal red rice 40 and <i>bajri</i> 44 lbs. per rupee.
Hyderabad ...	.....	Crops that have escaped floods good; river falling; fever in four talukas and cough in Hala; small-pox in Hyderabad; wheat 25, <i>juari</i> 45, <i>bajri</i> 40, red rice 30, and white rice 22 lbs. per rupee.
Ahmedabad ...	·05	Total rainfall 27·37; young <i>kharif</i> crops good; transplantation of rice continues; in Ahmedabad city 3 cholera cases, all of which fatal; wheat 28 and <i>bajri</i> 31 lbs. per rupee.
Baroda ...	No rain	Total rainfall 30·42; all crops doing well; slight cholera in Contingent camps at Sadr and Manekwara; <i>bajri</i> 32 and common rice 24 lbs. per rupee.
Surat ...	·08	Total rainfall 32·52; crops healthy; break continues; weeding progressing; <i>juari</i> 35 and <i>nagli</i> 54 lbs. per rupee.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week preceding.	State of agricultural prospects.
<b>Bombay—contd.</b>		
Nasik ...	Igatpuri, 3·87; Peint, 3·62; Kalwan, 1·05; slight showers elsewhere.	Rain badly wanted in Yeola, Niphad, Chandar, Malegaon, Baglan, and parts of Sennar; locusts in Malegaon and Nandgaon doing injury; slight cholera in Nasik and Sennar; wheat 25, <i>bajri</i> 32, and rice 25 lbs. per rupee.
Colaba (Bombay) ...	17	Total rainfall 57·23, being 1·88 above average; average abnormal temperature 1° warm; vapour in air normal; abnormal wind northerly.
Poona ...	Passing showers in six talukas.	Young crops withering in Bhimthari and Indapur; 22 cholera cases in Sirur and Bhimthari, of which 8 fatal; <i>bajri</i> 45 and <i>juari</i> 59½ lbs. per rupee; in Poona <i>bajri</i> 36½ and <i>juari</i> 47½ lbs. per rupee.
Ahmednagar ...	Jhamkhed, 32; Parner and Akola, 19; very slight in Sheogaon, Rahuri, and Sangamner; none in rest.	Total average rainfall of the district 11·40; from want of rain <i>bajri</i> and other crops are withering in all talukas except Akola; cholera—in Parner 12 cases, 7 deaths, in Shrigonda 6 cases, 6 deaths, and in Sheogaon 18 cases, 9 deaths; <i>bajri</i> —maximum 72 lbs. in Jhamkhed, minimum 48 in Kopergaon; <i>juari</i> —maximum 102 lbs. in Jhamkhed, minimum 60 in Kopergaon.
Sholapur ...	1·18; slight rain throughout.	Total rainfall 21·12; no cholera cases in Pandharpur taluka, maximum number of cases in Sangola 43, minimum in Malsiras 3, total number of cases 136, of which 61 fatal; <i>bajri</i> 58 lbs. 11 tolas and <i>juari</i> 81 lbs. 32 tolas.
Dharwar ...	Slight rain throughout, maximum 86.	All standing crops, except in very wet lands, thriving; ground being prepared for sowing cotton and late crops; rice 24 and <i>juari</i> 62 lbs. per rupee; ague in Nargund and Mundargi petta, and foot-and-mouth disease among cattle in Hangal.
Kanara ...	Karwar, 1·02; Kumpita, 4·07; Sirsi, 4·41; Hallial, 2·28.	Total rainfall 86·80; rice, <i>ragi</i> , sugarcane plants, and garden produce thriving; early rice crop in ear around Karwar; weather clearing; cholera 1 death in Karwar; common rice in Karwar 11 seers, in district average 13½ seers per rupee.
Rajkot ...	.....	Weather dry and warm; rain much wanted; cholera at Rajkot, Moorvi, Bhoynagar, and Gondal; <i>bajri</i> 27 and <i>juari</i> 31 lbs. per rupee. <i>General Remarks.</i> —General break continues; rain wanted in parts of Poona, Ahmednagar, Nasik, Khandesh, and Kaira; crops doing well generally; locusts in Khandesh and Nasik; fever and cattle-disease in some districts; cholera in Satara, Poona, Sholapur, Ahmednagar, Khandesh thana, Kaira, and parts of Kathiawar.
<b>Bengal—(Aug. 23rd)</b>		
Chittagong ...	2·92	Prospects of crops fair; transplanting of winter rice going on; prices stationary; cholera, small-pox, and cattle-disease still prevail; two shocks of earthquake on the night of the 20th.
Dacca ...	3·16	Rain and rising of rivers improving prospects of crops; cholera prevailing.
24-Pergunnahs (Calcutta) ...	3·35	Prospects of early crops continue satisfactory; transplanting of winter rice making fair progress; more rain would do good; public health generally good; cases of fever reported from Basirhat sub-division.
Moorshedabad ...	4·83	Rain has been general over the district and has much improved prospects of the winter rice; early rice being harvested, some of it has been destroyed in the Jangipur sub-division owing to rise of rivers; except the usual fever, public health is good; cattle-disease in two or three villages of Kandi sub-division.
Rajshahye ...	2·84	Rain has benefited crops; fever prevalent.
Burdwan ...	3·35	Weather seasonable; rain will be of great benefit to rice crops, but it has come too late to allow of much more transplanting; early rice crop good, it is being reaped in some places; sugarcane also good; health generally good.
Rungpore ...	2·28	Weather cloudy and hot; transplanting of winter rice continues; more rain wanted; prospects of other crops favourable; public health good.
Bhagalpur ...	0·65	Autumn crops being harvested, outturn good; more rain required for winter rice; public health good.
Purneah ...	1·61	Prospects of crops much improved; autumn harvest poor; transplanting progressing; more fever prevalent; hill rivers and Ganges high.
Patna ...	1·35	Prospects of autumn crops fair; transplanting of rice seedlings going on, but more rain is wanted in parts; cholera still prevalent in Behar.
Durbhunga ...	2·26	Weather has cleared somewhat; rivers in flood; autumn crops full average; rice prospects good; prices stationary; cholera has not yet disappeared.
Hazáribágh ...	2·45	Weather sultry; autumn crops doing well; rain during the week has been of much benefit in aiding transplanting operations which came to a standstill in several parts of the district; general health good.
Cuttack ...	6·02	Early rice ripening, late rice progressing well; cholera disappearing. <i>General Remarks.</i> —Rain fell in all districts during the week; more rain is still wanted in some districts; generally, however, rainfall of this week and of the preceding week has much improved the prospects of the crops; transplanting of late rice is going on fairly; all autumn crops and sugarcane are doing well; autumn harvest is expected to yield a fair average crop, but in some districts, it will be rather short owing to deficient rainfall in July; fever is reported from some districts; cholera has again appeared in an epidemic form in Chumparun, elsewhere it has abated and in some places it has almost disappeared.



Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week preceding.	State of agricultural prospects.
<b>N. W. Provinces and Oudh—</b>		
Benares (Aug. 22nd)	5'0; Chandauli, 3'1.	Every prospect of a good harvest of late rice, as the weather has been favourable for transplanting; <i>sawan</i> being cut; all crops have been benefited by the rain; health of cattle good; cholera decreasing; markets well supplied; prices moderate, but rising.
Allahabad ( „ 23rd)	Abundant and general rain for last three days, and still raining.	The long break in the rains is over; rain has been of great benefit to all crops; prospects excellent; cholera rapidly decreasing, none in city or station; prices nearly stationary.
Cawnpore ( „ 22nd)	1'4 (average)	Weather rainy and cloudy; crops suffering from want of rain are now reviving; more rain wanted; cholera continues unabated; prices nearly stationary.
Gorakhpur ( „ „ )	Good rain throughout the district.	Crops promising; health fair; prices falling.
Jhānsi ...	1'3 (average)	Weather cloudy; more rain expected; rainfall at the end of the week was most opportune, especially for the crops in <i>kankar</i> lands; weeding of <i>juari</i> and cotton continues; fields are being prepared for <i>rabi</i> sowing for the last three days; no fresh cases of cholera have appeared in mauza Iskil, but it still continues in three villages in pargana Mau and in two villages in pargana Garotha; cattle-disease of a mild type is reported in pargana Jhānsi and Moth.
Agra (Aug. 22nd)	Rain in six parganas from 0'4 to 5'3.	Rain has done much good, but is still needed in one pargana, where none has fallen since 31st July; slight fever here and there, but general health good; prices stationary.
Farukhabad ( „ „ )	Rain has fallen within the week.	Crops suffered from long break in the rains; more rain is required; health of people fairly good; prices steady.
Bareilly ( „ „ )	.....	Weather seasonable; crops very good; cholera bad in Danla and neighbourhood, isolated cases elsewhere; fever on the increase.
Meerut ( „ „ )	Good rain on the 20th—Meerut, 3'8; Hapur, 1'0; Bagpat, 0'7; Mowana, 2'9; Ghaziabad, 0'6; Sir-dhana, 3'8.	Crops revived and prospects greatly improved; supplies sufficient; health good; prices recovered from the rise of last week.
Kumaun ( „ „ )	Sufficient rain everywhere, very heavy on outer range.	Crops flourishing; cattle-disease and foot-disease still prevalent; 3 deaths from <i>mahamari</i> , otherwise health fair; prices stationary.
Lucknow ( „ „ )	Mohanlalganj, 0'1; no rain in other two tahsils.	Rice crop is suffering from want of rain; sowing of <i>mash</i> going on; cholera continues; prices stationary.
Rae Bareilly ( „ 21st)	.....	Break in the rains; <i>juari</i> and rice beginning to suffer for want of rain; clouds gather and disperse after slight drizzling; cholera still continues; cattle-disease in some villages of tahsil Dalman; markets well supplied; prices rising.
Partabgarh ( „ 22nd)	Slight rain at Sadr and Patti.	Prices rising slightly; autumn rice has dried up in places; winter rice being planted out in Patti and Kunda; slight cattle-disease in Patti; general health fair; cholera still continues.
Sitapur ( „ „ )	0'2; Misrikh, 0'3	More rain required; cholera very bad; slight cattle-disease in two tahsils; supplies sufficient.
Fyzabad ( „ „ )	Sadr, 0'1; Akbarpur, 0'4; Bikapur, 0'3; Tanda, 1'2.	Prospects good; slight cholera; cattle-disease in part of district.
<b>General Remarks</b> —Rain more or less heavy in most districts and prospects generally improved, a further fall would be beneficial everywhere, especially in Oudh, where rice is suffering; prices rising in Benares, Rae Bareilly, and Partabgarh, elsewhere stationary; cholera still prevalent, except in the Meerut and Agra divisions, and is bad at Sitapur and part of Bareilly; cattle-disease continues in Oudh, Jhānsi, Saharanpur, and Kumaun.		
<b>Punjab—(Aug. 23rd)</b>		
Delhi ...	3'0	More rain wanted; health fair; prices rising.
Hissar ...	Rain most urgently required.	Health good; prices rising.
Umballa ...	1'0	Crops suffering for want of rain; health fair; prices of food-grains stationary.
Jullundur ...	Rain much wanted	Health good; prices steady.
Amritsar ...	Rain wanted	Health good; prices stationary.
Sialkot ...	Rain wanted	Prices unaltered; health good.
Lahore ...	No rain	Health good; prices stationary.
Ferozepore ...	Rain is much needed	Health good; prices slightly falling.
Mooltan ...	No rain	Health good; prices stationary.
Rawalpindi ...	2'50	Crops good; cattle-disease in a few places; prices stationary.
Dera Ismail Khan ...	20	Fever prevalent; prospects good; prices steady.
Peshawar ...	No rain	Health good; prices stationary.
<b>General Remarks</b> —Rain is wanted in the Delhi, Hissar, Umballa, Amritsar, and Ferozepore districts; with the exception of the Dera Ismail Khan district, in which fever prevails, the health of the province is good; prices of food-grains are rising in the Delhi and Hissar districts, and slightly falling in the Ferozepore district; prices in the other districts are stationary.		

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week preceding.	State of agricultural prospects.
<b>Central Provinces—</b>		
Nagpur (Aug. 23rd)	·9	Weather cloudy; rain wanted; fever prevalent; cholera reported; prices slightly risen.
Jubbulpore ( „ 22nd)	1·22	Weather cloudy; weeding continues; <i>kharij</i> improved by break; cholera reported; small-pox declining; wheat 19 seers per rupee.
Saugor ( „ 21st)	·18	Crops doing well; cholera abated; health good; prices steady.
Seoni ( „ 22nd)	2·48	Weather cloudy, with showers; weeding continues; cholera prevalent; small-pox reported; cattle-disease abating; prices stationary.
Khandwa ( „ „ )	·33	Weather cloudy; prospects of crops good; cholera and small-pox reported; prices stationary.
Hoshangabad ( „ „ )	1·94	Weeding continues; few cases of small-pox; <i>juari</i> 17 seers per rupee.
Raipur ( „ 19th)	2·36	Crops doing well; slight break; cholera and fever reported; prices rising.
Sambalpur ( „ 17th)	2·38	Prospects of crops good; fever prevalent; rice 56 seers per rupee.
<b>British Burma—</b>		
(Aug. 19th)		
Akyab ...	6·60	<i>General Remarks.</i> —Weather cloudy and warm, with slight rain in most districts; crops improved by break; prospects favourable; weeding operations steadily progressing; cholera still reported from most districts; isolated cases of small-pox and cattle-disease; prices steady.
Rangoon ...	4·55	Total rainfall 162·69 inches; cholera in some parts of four townships, otherwise public health good; cattle-disease severe in one township, crops looking healthy.
Bassein ...	4·88	Total rainfall 59·21 inches; 5 fatal cases of cholera, otherwise public health good; progress of crops favourable.
Prome ...	2·58	Total rainfall 87·78 inches; public health good; cattle-disease severe in one township; ploughing and planting out far advanced.
Amherst (Moulmein) ...	11·01	Total rainfall 27·74 inches; 1 death from cholera in town, 28 in one township, and 25 in another; slight cattle-disease in one township; more rain required in two townships.
Toungoo ...	.....	Total rainfall 152·93 inches; public health good, but in Moulmein and district cattle-disease in four townships; re-sowing in damaged places still going on; crops healthy, but reduced in area from want of cattle.
<b>Assam—</b>		
Gauhati (Aug. 22nd)	·89	Telegraph communications interrupted.
Sylhet ( „ 23rd)	15·97	<i>General Remarks.</i> —Cholera in Akyab, Tharrawady, Prome, and Henzada and a few cases elsewhere, public health otherwise good; cattle-disease severe in parts of Akyab and Bassein, and more or less prevalent in most other districts; rainfall generally plentiful, but still short in Prome and Thayetmyo.
Cachar ( „ „ )	3·53; weather rainy	Weather seasonable; transplanting vigorously progressing; prospects of crops and public health fair.
Dibrugarh ...	4·55	<i>Amun</i> crop in Nabiganj sub-division wants more rain; state and prospects of crops elsewhere good; public health good.
<b>Mysore and Coorg—</b>		
(Aug. 23rd)		
Bangalore ...	20	Reaping of <i>dumahi</i> and <i>murali</i> crops commenced; transplanting of <i>sali</i> crops progressing; prospects of tea good; cattle-disease ceased; 1 case of cholera reported from Lakhimpur; common rice 24½ seers per rupee.
Mysore ...	49	Weather seasonable; transplanting of <i>sali dhan</i> ; <i>aus</i> nearly harvested; public health good; cattle-disease still reported.
Mercara ...	20	Standing crops in thriving condition; <i>kartik</i> paddy sown in a few places; prospects favourable.
<b>Berar &amp; Hyderabad—</b>		
(Aug. 23rd)		
Amraoti ...	.....	Crops in good condition.
Akola ...	.....	Short break in the monsoon beneficial to all crops; prospects of season and public health good; prices of food-grains stationary.
Hyderabad (Aug. 24th)	1·94	<i>General Remarks.</i> —Slight rain has fallen throughout the Mysore State; dry crops in some districts, especially in Kolar, suffering from want of more rain; wet crops generally in good condition; sowing operations in active progress, <i>kartik</i> paddy, <i>ragi</i> , horse-gram, <i>juar</i> , and <i>avare</i> being the principal; prospects fair; public health good; prices compare favourably, in Bangalore rice 10½, <i>ragi</i> 26½, and horse-gram 30½ seers per rupee, in Kolar <i>ragi</i> 27 to 30 seers, in Mysore <i>ragi</i> 21 3/5 seers, in Chittaldrug <i>ragi</i> 30 to 50 seers per rupee.
<b>Hyderabad (Aug. 24th)</b>		
Rain wanted; <i>kharij</i> and cotton crops in good condition; prices of wheat 16 and of <i>juari</i> 28 seers per rupee.		
<i>Kharij</i> crops progressing favourably; weeding continues.		
Total rainfall from 1st January 15·85; <i>kharij</i> crops prospering in all taluks, excepting Pathur, where there has been no rain during the week; in three taluks there has been copious rainfall and tanks have been replenished; <i>abi</i> sowings continue, except in Pathur; cattle-disease in one taluk; prices—wheat 15½, coarse rice 8½, white <i>juari</i> 25½, yellow <i>juari</i> 31, and <i>tur</i> 25½ seers per current sicca rupee.		



Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week preceding.	State of agricultural prospects.
<b>Central India States— (Aug. 23rd)</b>		
Indore ...	15	Cholera in a sporadic form lingers in the Indore city; agricultural prospects continue favourable; prices steady.
Morar (Gwalior) ...	2.05	Health and prospects good.
Sutna ...	1.45	Cholera still at Sutna; prospects good.
Neemuch ...	.70	Health good; crops thriving.
Goona ...	1.89	Health good; prospects fair.
Bhopal (Sirohi) ...	.15	Weather fine; prospects good; some cholera at Bhopal and Karwai.
Agar ...	No rain	Health and prospects good.
Nowgong ...	No rain	Kharif crops good; health fair; prices stationary; cholera still prevalent.
Manpur ...	.60	Ploughing of <i>rabi</i> fields continues; prices stationary.
<b>Rajputana—</b>		
Abu (Aug. 23rd)	.22	Weather cloudy, close, and occasionally foggy.
Sirohi ( " 20th)	.....	Rain much needed; tanks, wells, and health good; weather cloudy, wind high and dry.
Marwar ( " 18th)	.....	Rain wanted; four months water in tanks; wells almost full; health good; prospects good; weather cloudy, winds sharp and cool; nights clear; holding off of rain causes much uneasiness; prices rising.
Meywar ( " 19th)	.07	Tanks and wells good; health fair; prospects very good.
Harouti ( " " )	.....	Prospects favourable; prices fallen; weather cloudy; no cholera reported.
Jhallawar ( " 16th)	.73	Weather fine and cool; Shahabad rather unhealthy.
Ajmere ( " 22nd)	90 at Ajmere on 21st	Sowing completed; cholera still in Ajmere districts.
Jeypore ( " " )	.....	Weather cloudy, and signs of rain; cholera in city decreasing; average daily deaths four.
Ulwar ( " " )	.....	Crops suffering from want of rain; prices steady; health fair.
<b>Nepal—</b>		
Katmandu (Aug. 17th)	2.90; constant rain	Weather cool and cloudy.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.  
HOME DEPARTMENT.

EXECUTION OF DEEDS, CONTRACTS, &C., ON BEHALF OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE.

*Extract from the Proceedings of the Government of India in the Home Department (Judicial),  
No. 1232, under date, Simla, the 23rd August 1882.*

Read again—

Home Department Resolution No. 989, dated 23rd June 1877, relative to the execution of deeds, contracts, &c., on behalf of the Secretary of State.

Read also—

A letter from the Government of the Punjab, No. 0711I, dated 27th ultimo, received in the Public Works Department, on the same subject.

RESOLUTION.

In exercise of the power conferred by the thirty-third and thirty-fourth of Victoria, cap. fifty-nine, section two, the Governor General in Council is pleased to declare that the undermentioned class of contracts and other instruments referred to in the twenty-second and twenty-third of Victoria, cap. forty-one, section two, may be executed generally as follows :—

Contracts and other instruments connected with leases for grazing cattle on canal banks. By officers in charge of Canal Divisions.

ORDER.—Ordered, that this Resolution be communicated to the Public Works Department for information, and be published in the Supplement to the *Gazette of India*.

(True Extract)  
A. MACKENZIE,  
*Secy. to the Govt. of India.*



GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.  
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.  
RAILWAY TRAFFIC.

No. XXX of 1882.

APPROXIMATE STATEMENT OF GROSS RECEIPTS AND EXPENSES OF INDIAN RAILWAYS.

Latest return received.	Railways.	Total length open.	RECEIPTS FOR WEEK ENDING 30TH JULY 1881.		Total length open.	RECEIPTS FOR WEEK ENDING 29TH JULY 1882.		TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1ST APRIL TO 30TH JULY 1881.		TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1ST APRIL TO 29TH JULY 1882.		Total Increase in 1882-83.	Total Decrease in 1882-83.
			Total.	Per mile open.		Total.	Per mile open.	Total.	Per mile open per week.	Total.	Per mile open per week.	Rs.	Rs.
			Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
5th Aug. 1882	<i>Guaranteed.</i> Eastern Bengal ...	172	1,01,864	592	172	1,20,867	703	12,04,831	400	12,87,184	437	82,353	...
29th July 1882	Oudh and Rohilkhand ...	547	75,542	138	547	68,297	125	16,76,688	177	17,70,383	189	93,695	...
5th Aug. 1882	Sind, Punjab & Delhi ...	676	1,38,161	204	676	1,83,521	272	29,67,593	254	32,96,335	284	3,28,742	...
29th July 1882	Madras ...	858	1,25,648	146	861	1,51,863	176	21,84,845	147	23,79,586	162	1,94,691	...
29th ditto	South Indian ...	655	64,919	99	655	53,744	82	13,27,414	117	13,15,443	117	...	11,971
5th Aug. 1882	Great Indian Peninsula ...	1,448	3,60,340	249	1,450	3,87,392	267	1,15,08,767	460	1,22,65,091	493	7,56,324	...
29th July 1882	Bombay, Baroda and Central India ...	444	77,493	175	461	1,19,564	259	38,52,592	502	38,41,266	486	...	11,326
	<b>TOTAL</b> ...	4,800	9,43,967	197	4,822	10,85,248	225	2,47,22,730	298	2,61,55,238	316	14,32,508	...
5th Aug. 1882	<i>State.</i> East Indian ...	1,504	6,63,633	441	1,507	8,17,201	542	1,38,74,851	533	1,49,97,019	580	11,22,168	...
5th ditto	Calcutta and South-Eastern ...	28	4,213	150	33	7,020	113	53,836	111	65,480	127	11,644	...
5th ditto	Nalhati ...	27	870	32	27	1,095	41	21,250	45	22,948	50	1,698	...
5th ditto	Northern Bengal ...	231	81,211	135	230	84,170	149	5,08,688	127	6,12,554	153	1,03,866	...
5th ditto	Tirhoot ...	76	8,130	107	78	11,322	145	2,01,645	144	2,14,252	148	12,607	...
5th ditto	Patna-Gya ...	57	7,195	126	57	6,660	117	1,48,193	150	1,54,433	158	6,240	...
5th ditto	Muttra-Hathras ...	29	2,057	71	29	1,745	60	42,889	85	36,955	74	...	5,934
5th ditto	Cawnpore-Furrakhabad ...	86	4,130	48	87	5,329	61	89,177	60	1,10,516	74	21,339	...
5th ditto	Dildarnagar-Ghazipur ...	12	661	55	12	510	42	15,250	73	17,090	83	1,840	...
5th ditto	Rajputana-Malwa ...	1,016	86,685	85	1,117	1,08,571	97	29,38,820	167	35,64,537	186	6,25,717	...
29th July 1882	Wardha Coal ...	45	10,093	224	45	4,027	89	1,70,697	219	1,85,167	240	14,470	...
29th ditto	Nagpur & Chhattisgarh ...	53	2,315	44	98	3,559	36	1,07,144	100	2,25,923	134	1,18,779	...
29th ditto	Rangoon and Irrawaddy Valley ...	161	16,278	101	161	17,007	106	5,03,687	181	5,04,656	183	969	...
5th Aug. 1882	Sindia ...	75	4,442	59	75	5,267	70	1,00,444	78	1,08,853	85	8,409	...
29th July 1882	Punjab Northern ...	363	57,947	160	412	45,248	110	9,67,218	154	10,01,698	146	34,480	...
5th Aug. 1882	Indus Valley and Kandahar ...	660	82,231	125	660	83,224	126	15,20,264	133	15,44,767	136	24,503	...
5th ditto	Muttra-Achnera ...	...	...	...	23	971	42	...	...	20,759	52	20,759	...
	<b>TOTAL</b> ...	2,919	3,18,458	109	3,144	3,35,725	107	73,89,202	146	83,90,588	156	10,01,886	...
29th July 1882	<i>Native States.</i> Bhavnagar-Gondal ...	119	3,922	33	194	10,046	52	2,97,057	95	3,62,744	109	65,687	...
29th ditto	Nizam's ...	121	14,821	122	121	14,898	123	2,84,961	136	2,86,272	138	1,311	...
29th ditto	Mysore ...	58	1,921	33	86	6,488	75	49,958	50	87,315	59	37,357	...
	<b>TOTAL</b> ...	298	20,664	69	401	31,432	78	6,31,976	104	7,36,331	107	1,04,355	...
	<b>GRAND TOTAL</b> ...	9,521	19,46,722	204	9,874	22,69,606	230	4,66,18,759	281	5,02,79,176	296	36,60,417	...
	<b>GROSS ESTIMATED EXPENSES</b> ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,24,15,291	135	2,43,23,132	143	...	...
	<b>NET RECEIPTS</b> ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,42,03,468	146	2,59,56,044	153	17,52,576	...

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The 24th August 1882.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.  
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

IRRIGATION OPERATIONS OF THE YEAR 1881-82.

Comparative Statement of Irrigation and Rainfall for the years 1880-81 and 1881-82 in Canal Districts of the North-Western Provinces.

ZILA.	Area in acres.	Cultivated area in acres.	AREA IRRIGATED.						RAINFALL.						
			FASL KHARIF, 1881-82.			FASL RABI, 1881-82.			WHOLE YEAR 1881-82.			Percentage of increase or decrease, 1881-82.			
			Total area.	In comparison with 1880-81.		Total area.	In comparison with 1880-81.		Total area.	In comparison with 1880-81.		1880-81.	1881-82.	Percentage of increase or decrease, 1881-82.	
				Increase.	Decrease.		Increase.	Decrease.		Increase.	Decrease.				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
Saharanpur .	1,418,880	805,120	52,473	1,623	...	65,327	17,907	...	117,800	19,530	...	16.5	40.7	29.2	-28.2
Muzaffarnagar .	1,061,989	699,622	76,931	3,813	...	106,384	29,681	...	183,915	33,494	...	18.2	45.1	22.9	-49.2
Meerut .	1,510,664	1,071,463	113,339	...	12,823	180,734	59,550	...	294,073	47,027	...	13.9	44.1	28.6	-35.1
Bulandshahr .	1,222,400	875,520	78,037	...	1,061	121,785	15,396	...	199,832	14,335	...	7.1	26.2	19.55	-25.3
Aligarh .	1,256,775	919,880	57,222	...	1,614	100,340	6,608	...	157,562	4,994	...	3.1	16.2	25.7	68.6
Muttra .	1,081,538	827,843	26,831	10,292	...	38,117	...	9,566	64,948	736	...	1.1	20.3	28.6	40.8
Agra .	1,230,819	873,976	15,615	4,998	...	31,319	3,435	...	46,934	8,433	...	17.8	19.4	33.5	88.1
Etah .	967,680	620,890	36,029	2,671	...	74,667	16,680	...	110,686	19,351	...	17.4	18.3	33.5	88.0
Mainpuri .	1,056,626	607,409	49,451	6,817	...	118,211	16,699	...	167,662	23,516	...	14.0	15.8	42.9	171.0
Farrukhabad .	1,116,633	657,351	21,493	1,941	...	44,869	4,562	...	66,362	6,503	...	9.8	17.0	25.6	50.5
Etawah .	1,274,240	563,200	58,117	10,037	...	121,279	6,744	...	179,396	16,781	...	9.3	12.7	29.5	132.0
Cawnpore .	1,495,576	865,065	61,381	...	3,137	117,115	...	7,768	178,496	...	10,905	-6.1	7.6	37.3	390.0
Delhi .	1,817,280	532,480	26	...	396	322	...	165	...	...	561	-161.2	24.0	24.4	1.6
Gurgaon .	1,267,200	967,680	14,875	5,061	...	28,106	...	2,948	42,981	2,113	...	4.9	16.4	20.0	21.9
Dun .	653,271	82,248	5,315	...	837	8,138	1,271	...	13,453	434	...	3.2	70.1	84.4	20.3
Bijnor .	1,217,886	663,135	2,594	...	86	2,137	...	...	5,031	182	...	3.6	36.9	38.4	4.06
Tarai .	588,793	144,230	3,592	...	...	3,370	96	...	6,962	...	2,013	-28.9	39.0	45.2	15.8
Pilibhit .	873,094	1,228,040	6,379	...	1,537	8,555	5,079	...	14,934	2,403	...	16.0	50.3	24.0	-52.3
Barailly .	1,037,416	482,550	25,951	...	2,676	36,619	13,956	...	62,570	...	3,553	-6.6	30.8	35.1	13.9
Jhansi .	1,002,880	800,128	29	...	17,509	529	214	...	558	196	...	33.3	21.2	44.7	110.0
Hamirpur .	1,463,424	...	45	...	135	1,300	858	...	1,345	723	...	53.7	10.3	27.4	166.0
TOTAL	23,534,064	14,317,790	706,025	47,339	41,453	1,209,823	198,736	20,923	1,915,848	200,731	17,032				
			Net increase	...	5,886	Net increase	...	177,813	Net increase	...	183,699				

ALLAHABAD.

ALLAHABAD,  
The 3rd August 1882.

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Statement in acres of crops irrigated by Districts.

	Saharanpur.	Muzaffarnagar.	Meerut.	Bulandshahr.	Aligarh.	Mittra.	Agra.	Etah.	Mathura.	Parakhabad.	Bithur.	Gurgaon.	Dun.	Bijnor.	Tarn.	Philibhit.	Bareilly.	Thansi.	Hamirpur.	GRAND TOTAL.
Gardens and orchards	1,745	1,223	3,132	2,734	2,099	585	1,375	1,569	2,085	579	1,586	2,038	645	1	14	62	683	7	40	22,395
Sugarcane	15,273	39,553	64,883	8,430	774	620	706	2,375	5,098	2,895	6,306	4,636	1,063	2,677	487	1,459	6,930	16	4	166,020
	32,312	24,079	10,696	279	480	2	9	295	649	218	1,004	1,141	3,853	180	3,102	4,909	18,523	8	16	101,755
Cereals	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rice	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bajra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Juar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Makal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Wheat	57,142	92,158	142,010	84,274	52,839	8,523	11,185	44,292	67,813	21,358	58,015	43,957	5,756	1,813	2,459	3,973	20,117	93	47	725,333
Barley	3,066	5,416	19,724	12,678	17,208	9,889	3,805	12,378	36,983	16,764	49,738	65,707	758	162	233	1,296	3,951	24	...	261,602
Oats	503	6	322	199	5	...	...	7	...	...	...	...	313	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,358
China	1	...	14	235	1,059	52	83	389	423	9	482	51	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,955
Other grains	95	112	1,397	3,627	696	...	...	294	827	2,104	405	2,095	...	30	505	2,852	9,766	187	26	11,717
Mixed grains	794	164	1,447	6,438	20,533	9,085	9,416	12,619	2,869	...	...	...	...	124	...	...	...	...	1,073	86,519
Pulse (kharif): urd or mash and moth.	51	259	63	11	...	28	8	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	464
Pulses (rabi)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gram	1,109	2,887	4,924	4,585	3,736	9,883	5,914	1,886	2,710	145	2,403	763	148	...	28	94	321	96	99	49,822
Peas	35	2,793	5,865	6,659	1,500	...	...	1,115	264	39	1,747	1,615	13	...	2	30	169	...	...	21,846
Arhar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Masur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fodder crops	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cotton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other fibres	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Indigo	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other dyes	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Opium	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other drugs	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Oilseeds	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Miscellaneous	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL, 1881-82	117,800	188,915	294,073	199,322	157,562	64,948	46,934	110,696	167,662	66,362	179,396	178,496	13,453	5,031	6,962	14,934	63,570	558	1,345	1,915,849
TOTAL, 1880-81	98,270	150,421	247,046	185,487	152,508	64,222	38,501	91,345	144,146	59,859	162,615	189,401	13,019	4,849	8,975	12,531	66,123	372	622	1,732,149

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ALLAHABAD,  
The 3rd August 1882.

Statement in acres of crops irrigated by canals in Canal Divisions.

Crops.	GANGES CANAL.						LOWER GANGES CANAL.						Eastern Jumna Canal.	Agra Canal.	Rohilkhand canals.	Dun canals.	BUNDEL-KHAND LAKES.		Grand Total.	
	Northern.	Anupshahr.	Meerut.	Bulandshahr.	Aligarh.	Total.	Narora.	Mainpuri.	Cawnpore.	Etawah.	Bhagnipur.	Total.					Jhansi.	Hamirpur.		Bijnor.
Gardens and orchards .	487	1,080	1,384	3,350	3,587	8,888	381	1,236	2,009	2,226	676	6,528	3,461	2,066	759	645	7	40	1	22,335
Sugarcane .	22,492	22,709	36,355	7,427	1,856	90,840	954	3,591	5,733	7,661	2,145	20,084	39,312	2,148	8,876	1,063	16	4	2,677	1,65,020
Cereals .	17,301	1,819	7,997	533	748	28,388	44	87	455	2,409	60	3,055	39,718	3	26,534	3,853	8	16	180	1,01,755
	1	15	..	8	24	48	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	75	42	..	..	..	..	170
	..	..	..	124	1,419	1,543	..	104	142	673	133	1,127	..	1,288	18	..	..	..	..	3,971
	189	410	3,771	1,310	3,414	9,094	230	249	735	1,478	586	3,268	9,302	575	180	..	..	..	..	22,376
	44,465	49,158	75,910	77,965	74,370	3,21,868	16,947	47,380	38,409	83,726	23,647	2,10,109	1,31,891	28,206	26,549	5,756	93	47	1,813	7,26,322
Other grains	2,591	6,947	19,296	9,198	25,891	62,923	4,413	18,715	57,001	72,557	20,522	1,73,208	3,610	15,417	5,500	758	24	..	162	2,61,602
	..	..	305	213	15	533	..	..	..	..	..	..	612	..	..	313	..	..	..	1,358
	..	..	11	26	2,007	2,052	..	93	9	..	..	..	..	163	..	..	98	..	..	2,955
Mixed grains	..	23	110	5,164	340	5,637	..	645	4,346	486	2	5,479	540	4	..	..	26	30	..	11,717
Pulses (kharif) : urd or mash and moth.	226	30	95	..	10	361	..	..	..	..	..	..	33	67	..	..	187	1,078	124	86,519
Pulses, rabi	2,344	1,063	1,693	4,599	4,539	14,238	652	1,210	243	1,920	2,006	6,631	4,451	23,715	443	148	96	99	..	49,822
	1,235	10,604	..	3,816	..	15,655	..	..	1,345	2,320	..	3,665	2,312	..	201	13	..	..	1	21,846
	..	34	985	99	162	1,280	78	77	12	10	110	287	..	375	188	..	..	4	4	2,134
Fodder crops	..	..	141	58	130	368	..	6	..	..	..	..	2,396	..	546	100	16	..	..	3,436
	183	636	1,691	1,206	21	3,737	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,473	..	..	..	..	..	..	6,278
Fibres .	..	2,406	4,286	11,158	9,481	27,331	51	69	12	367	133	632	7,962	27,562	10	1	1	13	7	63,519
Dyes .	641	..	..	..	19	690	225	176	2	125	11	539	18	195	1	..	..	..	..	1,413
	..	20,490	5,888	41,578	60,659	1,23,615	9,484	25,585	45,249	66,288	16,794	1,63,400	4,316	22,687	42	..	..	..	..	3,19,060
Drugs .	567	414	..	398	..	1,379	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,379
	..	..	..	..	97	97	254	2	5,632	7,226	926	14,090	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	14,188
Oil seeds .	5	28	24	168	239	464	20	3,060	117	104	22	3,323	305	80	140	369	..	21	..	4,702
Miscellaneous .	138	..	..	..	..	138	..	1	..	..	..	1	474	4	1,334	362	..	..	..	2,318
	1,166	706	410	750	2,408	5,440	1,288	2,700	1,517	3,878	2,126	11,509	1,805	1,215	3	..	6	1	23	20,119
TOTAL 1881-82 .	94,032	1,21,682	1,60,410	1,68,138	2,28,039	7,72,301	38,715	1,04,986	1,63,008	2,53,458	71,038	6,31,205	2,54,886	1,52,603	84,466	13,453	558	1,345	5,031	19,15,848
TOTAL 1880-81 .	62,355	98,569	1,25,191	1,57,269	2,21,243	6,64,927	24,615	79,101	1,73,656	2,64,852	41,251	5,83,475	2,35,862	1,41,405	87,629	13,308	372	622	4,849	17,32,149

ALLAHABAD,  
The 3rd August 1882.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.  
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

SUPPLEMENT TO THE STATEMENTS OF PRICES CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS FOR THE 1st AND 2nd HALVES OF JULY 1882, PUBLISHED IN PAGES 1044, 1045, 1134 AND 1135 OF THE SUPPLEMENT TO THE "GAZETTE OF INDIA," DATED 12th AND 26th AUGUST 1882.

DISTRICTS.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF 80 TOLAHS.											
	Wheat.				Barley.				RICE.			
	Best sort.		Common.		Present fortnight.		Corresponding fort- night of last year.		Present fortnight.		Corresponding fort- night of last year.	
	Present fortnight.	Corresponding fort- night of last year.	Present fortnight.	Corresponding fort- night of last year.	Present fortnight.	Corresponding fort- night of last year.	Present fortnight.	Corresponding fort- night of last year.	Present fortnight.	Corresponding fort- night of last year.	Present fortnight.	Corresponding fort- night of last year.
1st half of July 1882.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.	S. C.
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AREACAN DIVISION.												
	Akyab.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Northern Arracan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Kyaukpoo	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pegu Division.												
	Rangoon town and Hantha- waddy	16 4 16 4 15 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Tharrawaddy	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Prome.	18 3 18 3 14 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TARAWADDY DIVISION.												
	Thonegwa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bassein	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Henada	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Thayetmyo	11 13	10 15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TENASSERIM DIVISION.												
	Moulmein town and Amherst	10 0	10 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Tavoy	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Mergui	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Shwaygyin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2nd half of July 1882.												
	Toungoo	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Salween	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Akyab	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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Kyaukse	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70																														
Sundowny	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80																													
PEGU DIVISION.																																																																																			
Rangoon town and Hantla-	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70																												
Waddy	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70																												
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Bassein	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70																												
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Thayetmyo	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70																												
TENASSERIM DIVISION.																																																																																			
Moulmein town and Amberst	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70																						
Tavoy	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70																						
Mergui	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70																						
Shwaygyin	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70																						
Tongoon	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70																						
Salween	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70																						

Rs. 36 per 100 maunds wholesale.

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DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND COMMERCE,  
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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.  
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

## IRRIGATION OPERATIONS OF FASL KHARIF IN THE PUNJAB FOR 1882-83 UP TO 30th JUNE 1882.

CANAL DIVISION.	WATER DISTRIBUTED DURING JUNE 1882.				NAVIGATION RETURN CANAL		LAND IRRIGATED (APPROXIMATE).		RAINFALL.		CHIEF CROPS (APPROXIMATE).		REMARKS.
	DEPTH IN CANAL AT REGULATING GAUGE.		GROSS CONSUMPTION, CUBIC FEET PER SECOND.		PRINCIPAL ITEMS OF TRAFFIC.		ZILA.	ACRES.	Average.	During month.	NAME.	Area in acres.	
	Full supply.	Actual throughout.	Estimated full supply.	Actual average throughout.	Up.	Down.							
BARI DOAB CANALS. 1st Division, Main Branch, Lower 2nd Division, Main Branch, Lower 2nd do., Lahore Branch	4.9	4.79	3,073.6	{ 1,173.12 1,132.14 642.47 }	...	...	Gurdaspur	12,906	3.48	0.6	Cotton	23,354	The volume entering the Bari Doab Canal was 3,144.35 cubic feet per second; of this, 100.62 cubic feet per second passed through escapes, leaving 2,947.73 cubic feet per second as available. There is an increase of 12,474 acres of last year's 2,295 acres over that of 1880-81, the largest on record. The increase is due to scarcity of rain. There is a considerable falling-off in the sugarcane in the 1st Division, which is said to be due to a glut in the market.
	4.6	3.10	3,073.6	...	...	...	Amritsar	27,722	3.40	0.9	Rice	7,162	
	3.35	3.10	3,073.6	642.47	...	...	Lahore	42,333	1.60	0.6	Sugarcane Others	9,872 42,573	
TOTAL BARI DOAB CANAL	...	...	3,073.6	2,947.73	...	...	.....	82,961	...	...	.....	82,961	
Corresponding period of last year	...	...	3,073.6	2,273.30	...	...	.....	69,287	...	...	.....	69,287	
WESTERN JUMNA CANAL. Karnal Division Delhi do. Hansi do. Do. Bulla Head	4.33	4.73	{ 321 817 1,231 337 }	...	{ ...								

J. E. CATTON,

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.  
HOME DEPARTMENT.

RULES FOR THE FILLING UP OF VACANCIES IN THE CLERICAL ESTABLISHMENTS OF THE SECRETARIAT OFFICES OF THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA, AND THE DEPARTMENTS DIRECTLY ATTACHED TO THEM, BY COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION.

Nos.  $\frac{31}{1298-1308}$ .

*Extract from the Proceedings of the Government of India, in the Home Department (Public),—  
under date Simla, the 31st August 1882.*

Read—

Home Department Resolution Nos.  $\frac{31}{1161-66}$ , dated the 21st July 1880, on the subject of raising the standard of ability among clerks attached to the Secretariats connected with the Government of India.\*

RESOLUTION.

The Governor General in Council has for some time past had under consideration the question of the best mode of filling up vacancies in the clerical establishments of the Secretariat Offices of the Government of India, and securing a reasonably high standard of qualification among the assistants employed.

2. The recognised difficulty in all Government Offices is to obtain men fit for the superior duties, such as those of drafting, précis-writing, preparing statistical returns, and the like. The pay provided for the superior appointments is in itself sufficient to give adequate remuneration for the proper performance of duties of this class; but the complaint is general that the standard of work done is at present often very inferior. It has been too much the rule to promote men from the lower grades as a matter of course; and as no test of qualification is applied either on admission to those lower grades, or on advancement beyond them, promotion has come to depend at least as much on seniority and the absence of misconduct as upon any merit or positive fitness for superior duty.

3. The Governor General in Council has decided that the first step towards reform must be to draw a marked line of distinction between the superior and inferior classes of appointments, and that for this purpose the Secretariat Clerical Service shall for the future be separated into an Upper and a Lower Division,—the former comprising all appointments the pay of which is Rs. 200 and upwards, the latter all appointments (other than those of mere copyists) the pay of which is below that sum. No clerk will be entitled to promotion from the Lower to the Upper Division as a matter of course, or otherwise than in accordance with the rules laid down in this Resolution.

4. As regards the mode of recruiting both Upper and Lower Divisions, the Governor General in Council has come to the conclusion that the only satisfactory principle to follow is that of free and open competition,\* modified as regards the Upper Division by conditions favourable to persons at the present time actually serving in the Lower Division. The plan of filling up vacancies in the Government Offices by competitive examination has worked satisfactorily in the Home Civil Service, and in the few instances where it has been tried in this country. It does away at once with many abuses and difficulties, and seems peculiarly adapted to the circumstances of Indian Offices, the responsible heads of which have necessarily no intimate acquaintance with the personal qualifications of candidates for admission, and are driven to rely upon the

\* Except in the case of the appointments of Registrars of Offices, Superintendents of Branches, or Head Assistants, for filling up which an absolute power of selection must remain with the Head of the Office concerned.



partial recommendations of subordinates or the certificates of irresponsible outsiders.

5. It has therefore been determined for the future to hold in Calcutta, and such other places as may be hereafter appointed for the purpose, an examination in January of each year for the purpose of selecting candidates for appointments in the Secretariat Offices of the Government of India. These examinations will be under the management of the Board of Examiners, Fort William, assisted by paid examiners, and acting in communication with the Secretary to the Government of India in the Home Department. The precise dates of the annual examination will be notified in the *Gazette of India* on or before the 30th November previous.

6. The subjects of examination will be the following, all of them being obligatory :—

*A.—For Candidates for Appointments in the Lower Division.*

	Marks.
1. Arithmetic and Elementary Mathematics*	500
2. Geography	250
3. History (English and Indian)	500
4. Handwriting	500
5. English Composition	500
6. Letter-drafting and Précis-writing	1,000

\* *i.e.* Algebra up to binomial theorem, and Euclid, Books I—IV.

*B.—For Candidates for Appointments in the Upper Division.*

- 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6. The same subjects and marks as under A, but the standard required will be materially higher.
7. Any special subject of examination prescribed by any particular Department ... 1,000

No candidate will be allowed any marks in respect of any subject of examination unless he shall be considered by the Examiners to show a competent knowledge of or a real proficiency in such subject. No candidate will be considered qualified who does not obtain at least one-third marks in subjects 4, 5, and 6; and no candidate will be eligible for the Financial Department who does not also obtain at least one-third marks in Arithmetic and Elementary Mathematics.

7. Every candidate for an appointment in the Lower Division must send a written application for permission to appear at the examination to

[FORM.]

To the Secretary to the Board of Examiners,  
Fort William.

SIR,

I request permission to present myself at the ensuing examination of candidates for appointments in the Lower Division of Government Clerkships. The fee of Rs. 10 is forwarded herewith.

I am, &c.

the Secretary to the Board of Examiners between the 15th and 31st days of December (inclusive). The application should be in the form given on the margin, and be accompanied by a fee of Rs. 10, one-half of which will be returned to unsuccessful candidates. With the application must also be forwarded—

- (1) Evidence that the candidate is not less than 19 and not more than 24 years of age.
- (2) A certificate from a Government Medical Officer of or above the rank of Assistant Surgeon that the candidate is in good health and of sound constitution.
- (3) A certificate that the candidate is of good moral character from the head of the institution in which he has last been educated, or (when a year or more has elapsed since his education terminated) from some respectable householder, to whom he is well known in private life, and who is himself personally known to the head of some Government Office,—this last fact being certified by the counter-signature of the officer in question.

8. Every candidate for an appointment in the Upper Division must

[FORM.]

To the Secretary to the Board of Examiners,  
Fort William.

SIR,

I request permission to present myself at the ensuing examination of candidates for appointments in the Upper Division of Government Clerkships. The fee of Rs. 20 is forwarded herewith.

I am, &c.

in the same way send a written application for permission to appear at the examination to the Secretary to the Board of Examiners between the dates above specified. The application should be in the form given on the margin, and be accompanied by a fee of Rs. 20, half of which will be returned to unsuccessful candidates. Candidates must forward with the application the evidence of age and certificates of health and moral character prescribed in paragraph 7 above.

9. The number of candidates to be selected by the Examiners for each Division will be notified in the *Gazette of India* by the Home Department on or before the 30th November. This number will be determined, in communication with the heads of the offices concerned, with reference to the number of vacancies existing or estimated as likely to occur within the course of the following year, *plus* a margin of 10 per cent. for casualties. In each year after the first the number of appointments to be notified will be reduced by the number of selected candidates remaining on the list from former years who may not yet have received appointments.

10. Every third vacancy occurring during any year in the upper division of an office may be filled up by the head of the office if he think fit, in accordance with the results of a departmental examination of clerks already in the lower division of the same office. In all such examinations subjects 4, 5 and 6, in paragraph 6 above, shall be compulsory. Vacancies which it is intended to fill up under this paragraph will not be reported as vacancies for the purposes of paragraph 9.

11. As soon as practicable after the open competitive examinations, the Board of Examiners will prepare a list of selected candidates in each Division in the order of merit, up to the number notified under paragraph 9, if so many are found qualified; and this list will be circulated to the heads of the offices concerned. Candidates will be given their choice of Departments as far as possible, and the Board of Examiners will intimate such choice to the head of each office, who will offer the vacant appointments at his disposal to the candidates electing his office in the order in which they stand on the list, and thereafter to the other candidates in the same order, through the Secretary to the Board of Examiners. Priority of selection as between the heads of different offices will be regulated by such orders as the Governor General in Council may from time to time make in this behalf. (In the case of the Foreign Office, the Secretary shall be at liberty to select any qualified candidate on the list.) It will be open to a selected candidate to decline any particular appointment offered him, and his name will not on that account be removed from the list; but no candidate's name shall remain on the list for either division after he has attained the age of 25 years, or for more than two years after the date of his being entered as a selected candidate.

12. The foregoing rules will govern the case of candidates who are not now serving in the offices to which this Resolution applies. Except as provided in paragraph 10, there will in future be no promotion from the Lower to the Upper Division. But any clerks who are at the date of the issue of this Resolution serving in the Lower Division may present themselves at any one examination for vacancies in the Upper Division that may be held in 1883 or 1884; and if they succeed in then obtaining marks indicating a competent knowledge of subjects 1, 2, and 3 (as provided in paragraph 6), and one-third marks in subjects 4, 5, and 6, the Board of Examiners will place their names, in order of merit, on the list of selected candidates drawn up under paragraph 11, above the names of all other competitors, irrespective of the fact that these last may have obtained higher marks in the examination. If a candidate whose name has been placed on the list under the provisions of this paragraph declines the appointment offered him, his name will be removed from the list, and he must



look for promotion only under paragraph 10. The concession made above in favour of clerks now in the Lower Division will sufficiently provide for the case of clerks who entered the inferior grades of the service in past years with the expectation of working their way up to higher appointments. No fees will be charged to candidates presenting themselves under this paragraph, but no such candidate will be admitted to the examination who does not at least 15 days before the date of examination submit to the Board of Examiners a certificate from the head of his office declaring that his conduct while serving in the Lower Division has been satisfactory.

13. All selected candidates receiving appointments will be on probation for twelve months; and if at the close of that period their work has not been found to give satisfaction, they will receive their discharge, and will have no claim to gratuity or compensation on that account. This rule will not apply to clerks selected for the Upper Division who were previously permanent clerks in the Lower Division.

14. Candidates accepting appointments must understand that their future promotion in their Office within the Division to which they belong will depend entirely upon their work and merits. No clerk will have any claim as of right to rise beyond the grade upon which he may have been brought in, though in ordinary course clerks who satisfy the head of their Office will receive promotion to vacancies in the Division as they occur, new entrants being, as a rule, though not as a matter of course, brought in on the lower grades.

15. Transfers from the Upper Division of one Government Office to that of another, or from the Lower Division of one Office to that of another, may be arranged by the heads of the offices concerned; but no transfer by arrangement from the Lower Division of one Office to the Upper Division of another can be allowed in future.

16. These orders will apply to the Secretariat Offices of the Government of India and Departments directly attached to them, such as the Sanitary Commissioner with the Government of India, the Surgeon General with the Government of India, the Inspector General of Forests, the Accountant General, Public Works Department, the Director General of Railways, and the like.

17. On the occurrence of any vacancy hereafter in any office to which this Resolution applies, when no candidate qualified under these rules is available to fill such vacancy, temporary arrangements may be made by the head of the office to carry on the work until the results of the next examination are known.

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ORDER.—Ordered, that a copy of the above Resolution be forwarded for information and guidance to all the Departments of the Government of India and to the Heads of Offices\* under the Home Department, and that the Resolution be published in the Supplement to the *Gazette of India*.

\* Surgeon General with the Government of India.  
Sanitary Commissioner with the Government of India.  
Secretary to the Board of Examiners.  
Registrar of the Calcutta University.

A. MACKENZIE,  
*Secretary to the Government of India.*

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## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

## REVENUE AND AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

REPORTS ON THE STATE OF THE SEASON AND PROSPECTS OF THE CROPS FOR  
THE WEEK ENDING THE 29th AUGUST 1882.

GENERAL REMARKS.—Rain in varying quantities has fallen in all parts of the country, the only exceptions being Sholapur in the Bombay Presidency, Akola in the Berars, Dera Ismail Khan and Peshawar in the Punjab, Agar, Sirohi and Meywar among the Rajputana and Central India States, and Jalpaiguri in Bengal.

The rainfall of the week has benefited standing crops in all Provinces, and agricultural prospects on the whole are very satisfactory. More rain would, however, be beneficial in parts of five districts of Madras, in a few places in Bengal, in two districts of the North-Western Provinces and Oudh, and in three districts in the Punjab. In Bombay rain is wanted in most districts, in some urgently; locusts are reported in two districts. Prices are generally falling in the North-Western Provinces and Oudh, and the early *kharif* crops are being cut in places.

The barometric pressure has varied considerably during the week, sometimes rising and sometimes falling; but towards the end of the week the general tendency has been towards a fall all over India.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week preceding.	State of agricultural prospects.
<b>Madras—(Aug. 30th)</b>		
Bellary ...	1.42 (average of six stations).	Standing crops—wet good, dry partially withering; agricultural operations progressing.
Kurnool ...	.96 (average of eight stations).	Crops beginning to wither in parts of five talukas, elsewhere generally good; more rain wanted; agricultural operations progressing; cattle-disease in parts.
Ganjam ...	1.79 (average of sixteen stations).	Rain wanted in two divisions; standing crops thriving; harvest gingelly and cotton, outturn average; fever, small-pox, and cattle-disease continue; slight cholera in parts.
Kistna ...	1.33 (average of twelve stations).	More rain wanted; crops generally recovering; agricultural operations progressing; fever and small-pox slight; cattle-disease throughout.
Chingleput (Madras) ...	1.60 (average of nine stations).	Standing crops good where water available; agricultural operations progressing; small-pox in parts.
Coimbatore ...	1.56 (average of thirteen stations).	Standing crops paddy promises well; dry crops suffer from want of rain and from ravages of insects; harvest dry crops, yield about average; small-pox, fever, cholera, and cattle-disease in parts.
Tanjore ...	1.45 (average of twelve stations).	Standing crops good except in parts damaged by floods; harvest gingelly, yield below average; cattle-disease in parts.
Madura ...	.92 (average of nine stations).	Harvest paddy, outturn fair; cholera in parts.
Malabar ...	.71 (average of twelve stations).	First crop good; small-pox, fever, and cholera in parts.
Travancore ...	1.67	Fever prevalent.
<b>Bombay—(Aug. 30th)</b>		
Kurrachee ...	.32; Manora, .17; Tanna, .33; Jerruck, .34.	River at Kotri on 28th, 18½ feet against 17 feet 2 inches on same date last year; fever in six talukas; 1 case small-pox in Sujawal; in Tatta crops damaged by excess of water and also by rats in three talukas; wheat, red rice, and <i>bajri</i> in Kurrachee, 22, 34 and 33, in Sehwan 28, 42 and 48, in Ghombari 18, 44 and 40, and in Jati 20, 36 and 44 lbs. per rupee respectively.
Hyderabad ...	Rain in five talukas; average fall .87.	River falling; small-pox in two talukas; fever in five talukas; wheat 25, <i>juari</i> 45, <i>bajri</i> 40, red rice 30, and white rice 22 lbs. per rupee.
Ahmedabad ...	.44	Total rainfall 27.81; young <i>kharif</i> crops good; transplanting of rice continues; wheat 29 and <i>bajri</i> 30 lbs. per rupee.
Baroda ...	.86	Total rainfall 31.28; want of more rain generally felt; cholera prevails at Sidhpur and continues at Amreli, at Sadra Contingent Camp it is mild, and has abated at Manekwara; <i>bajri</i> 32 and common rice 24 lbs. per rupee.



Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week preceding.	State of agricultural prospects.
<b>Bombay—contd.</b>		
Surat ...	62	Total rainfall 33.14; crops healthy; break continues; rain wanted; <i>juari</i> 36 and <i>nagli</i> 52 lbs. per rupee.
Nāsik ...	Igatpuri, 2.46; Peint, 2.61; slight showers in some talukas; but rain urgently wanted in all.	Young locusts in Malegaon, Baglan, and Nandgaon causing much anxiety; slight cholera in five talukas; crops as yet doing well; wheat 25½, <i>bajri</i> 38½, and rice 28 lbs. per rupee.
Colaba (Bombay) ...	42	Total rainfall 57.65, being 18 above average; abnormal temperature 2° warm except on 26th, when it was 1° cool; vapour in air normal; abnormal wind north-east from 23rd to 26th and rest from 27th to 29th.
Poona ...	Rain wanted in eastern talukas.	Twenty-two cases of cholera in Sirur taluka, of which 14 were fatal; <i>bajri</i> 49 and <i>juari</i> 58 lbs. per rupee, in Poona <i>bajri</i> 37 and <i>juari</i> 48 lbs. per rupee.
Ahmednagar ...	Sheogaon, .22; Jhamkhed, .09; Rahuri, .05; no rain elsewhere.	Total average rainfall of the district 11.43; <i>bajri</i> crops are withering from want of rain in all talukas except Akola; cholera in Parner 3 fresh attacks and 4 deaths, in Sheogaon 2 deaths; <i>bajri</i> —maximum 72 lbs. in Jhamkhed, minimum 48 in Kopergaon; <i>juari</i> —maximum 102 in Jhamkhed, minimum 60 in Kopergaon.
Sholapur ...	No rain	<i>Kharif</i> crops suffering from want of rain; cholera dying out, 69 cases, 31 deaths; <i>bajri</i> 58 lbs. 15 tolas, and <i>juari</i> 80 lbs. 28 tolas per rupee.
Dharwar ...	Rain at six stations; maximum at Ron, 1.01.	Standing crops thriving but will require rain before long; cotton being sown in some talukas and in others ground is being prepared for it and for sowing late crops; <i>juari</i> 56 lbs. and rice 20 lbs. per rupee; public health good; cattle-disease in Hangal.
Kanara ...	Karwar, .28; Hallial, .06.	Total rainfall 87.08; rice crops in ear in Karwar; rain wanted; sugarcane and garden produce thriving; fever in two talukas above ghat; common rice in Karwar 11 seers, in district average 13 seers per rupee.
Rajkot ...	1.47	Total rainfall 15.25; weather warm and cloudy; cholera in town and civil station Rajkot and in other places; crops thriving; <i>bajri</i> 2½ and <i>juari</i> 31 lbs. per rupee.
<i>General Remarks.</i> —Rain wanted in most districts, in some urgently needed; locusts in Khandesh and Nāsik; fever and cattle-disease in some districts; cholera abating.		
<b>Bengal—(Aug. 30th)</b>		
Chittagong ...	0.48	Prospects of crops good, but rain still wanted for transplanting winter rice; prices steady; small-pox, cholera, and cattle-disease still reported.
Dacca ...	1.50	Prospects of all crops good; rivers rising; cholera diminishing.
24-Pergunnahs (Calcutta) ...	3.02	Prospects of early rice, jute, and sugarcane continue satisfactory; transplanting on low lands nearly finished, more rain wanted for transplanting on high lands; prices of common rice stationary; public health generally good; fever reported from Baraset and Diamond Harbour sub-divisions.
Moorshedabad ...	0.20	Rain done much good to transplanted winter rice and facilitated transplanting, which is still going on; autumn rice being harvested; on the whole public health good; cattle-disease reported from Kandi sub-division.
Rajshahye ...	1.76	More rain wanted for winter rice; cutting of jute nearly finished; fever still reported.
Burdwan ...	2.22	More rain required for winter rice; other crops good; a few cases of cholera reported.
Rungpore ...	0.46	Weather cloudy; prospects of crops favourable, but more rain wanted; public health good, except a few cases of cholera in thana Bhawaniganj.
Bhagálpur ...	1.73	More rain wanted for transplanting winter rice; autumn harvest progressing; crop generally excellent; north-east of district extensively flooded by the Kosi.
Purneah ...	2.63	Prospects of crops only fair generally, in parts very bad; transplanting progressing vigorously, but very late; rivers high; fever prevalent.
Patna ...	2.69	Prospects of autumn crops good; sugarcane looking well; transplanting of rice making fair progress, more rain would do good; cholera abating in Behar.
Durbhunga ...	2.63	Autumn crops slightly below average; rice prospects good; prices stationary; health improving.
Hazáribágh ...	2.77	Weather hot and cloudy; autumn crops promising, and are being reaped in some parts; transplanting of rice in progress; public health generally good.
Cuttack ...	3.74	Reaping of early rice commenced; late rice progressing well; cholera disappearing.
<i>General Remarks.</i> —More or less rain fell in all districts during the week, except in Jalpaiguri; general prospects of crops much improved; transplanting of late rice is rapidly being completed, but more rain is still wanted for transplanting on high lands in some places; autumn harvest will be rather short in some districts owing to previous want of rain, generally however it is expected to yield a fair average crop; sugarcane crop promising well everywhere; fever prevalent in Nadiya, Purneah, and a few other districts; cholera somewhat abated in Chumparun; cases of cholera and cattle-disease still reported from some places; small-pox still exists in Chittagong, Singhbhum, and Manbhum.		

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week preceding.	State of agricultural prospects.
<b>N. W. Provinces and Oudh—</b>		
Benares (Aug. 29th)	2.10; Chandauli, 1.30; Gungapur, nil.	Weather favourable for crops; <i>sawan</i> being cut; health of cattle good; a few isolated cases of cholera and some fever, health otherwise good; bazars well supplied; prices stationary.
Allahabad ( „ 30th)	Rain general and abundant.	Crops doing well; cholera nearly disappeared; rice fallen, other prices stationary.
Gorakhpur ( „ 29th)	Plentiful showers throughout the district.	Crops promising; health fair; prices falling.
Jhānsi ( „ 28th)	Average 3.10	Weather still cloudy; the crops are in a flourishing state, except in pargana Moth, where the <i>kharif</i> crops in <i>mar</i> soil are suffering somewhat for want of fine weather; rain of last week has done good generally to <i>kharif</i> crops and greatly facilitated the bringing of land under <i>rabi</i> cultivation; prices falling; supplies sufficient; cholera still continues in pargana Mau and Garotha; cattle-disease reported from pargana Jhānsi.
Agra ( „ 29th)	Rain in all parganas from .60 to 7.10.	Slight fever continues, but general health good; prices stationary.
Bareilly ( „ „ )	Rains continue steady	Cholera still bad at Aonla, abating in Bareilly, 1 case in the European Infantry lines.
Meerut ( „ 26th)	.80; Hapur, .40; Bagpat .60; Ghaziabad 2.70.	Weather seasonable; crops thoroughly revived and prospects good; fever reported from all tahsils; supplies sufficient; prices easier.
Farukhabad ( „ 29th)	General rain	Prospects now satisfactory; prices slightly lower; health fairly good; no sickness, except slight fever.
Kumaun ( „ „ )	1.20	Crops very good; health good; cattle-disease continues in parts; prices stationary.
Rae Bareilly	2.90; Digbijaiganj, 1.50; Salon, 3.30.	Cholera still hanging about, but on the decrease; cattle-disease in some villages of tahsil Dalmau; agricultural prospects fair; prices steady.
Lucknow (Aug. 29th)	1.80; Maliabad, 2.00; Mohanlalganj, .60.	Crops much benefited by the rainfall of the 22nd and 25th; more rain wanted to improve the paddy in tahsil Mohanlalganj; prices steady; cholera decreasing.
Partabgarh ( „ „ )	Good rain at Kunda; heavy showers this morning at Sadr.	Prices falling; <i>makka</i> sown and <i>kakoon</i> being cut; cattle-disease in pargana Atteha and at Patti; cholera has decreased considerably.
Sitapur ( „ „ )	Average 1.10	Rice suffering somewhat in Misrik and part of Biswan; cholera abating; traces of cattle-disease in Misrik; prices slightly fallen.
Cawnpore ( „ „ )	Average 3.90	Rain very beneficial to all crops; prospects excellent; weather still cloudy; cholera decreasing; prices slightly fallen.
Fyzabad ( „ „ )	1.90; Akbarpur 1.20; Bikapur, 1.80; Tanda, 4.20.	Rain has greatly benefited all crops; prospects good; slight cholera in part of district.
<b>General Remarks.</b> —Good rain throughout the province and prospects good everywhere, except that more rain would still be beneficial for rice in Lucknow and Moradabad; prices generally falling; cholera decreasing, except in parts of Moradabad and Bareilly; the usual autumnal fever has appeared, but is of a mild character; cattle-disease continues in Oudh, Jhānsi, and Kumaun, but is decreasing in Saharanpur.		
<b>Punjab—(Aug. 30th)</b>		
Delhi	.30	Health fair; prices stationary.
Hissar	.30	Health good; prices falling.
Umballa	.30	Crops suffering for want of more rain; health good; prices stationary.
Jullundur	1.60	Health good; prices falling.
Amritsar	.20	Health good; prices slightly falling.
Sialkot	.50	Health good; prices rising; more rain wanted.
Lahore	1.0	More rain expected; health good; prices stationary.
Ferozepore	1.0	Health good; prices stationary; state of crops improved.
Mooltan	.60	Fever prevalent; prices stationary.
Rawalpindi	.40	Cattle-disease continues; prices stationary.
Dera Ismail Khan	No rain	Fever prevalent; prospects good; prices steady.
Peshawar	Rain needed	Prospects are good; health good; prices steady.
<b>General Remarks.</b> —Rain has been general throughout the province, except in the Dera Ismail Khan and Peshawar districts; more rain is needed in the Umballa, Sialkot, and Peshawar districts; with the exception of two or three districts where fever prevails, the health of the province continues to be good; prices of food-grains are rising in the Sialkot district, and falling slightly in the Hissar, Jullundur, and Amritsar districts; prices in the other districts are stationary.		
<b>British Burma—(Aug. 26th)</b>		
Akyab	8.72	Total rainfall 171.41 inches; slight cholera in three townships and 7 deaths from small-pox in one township, otherwise public health good; cattle-disease severe in one township; prospects of crops good.
Rangoon	2.10	Total rainfall 61.31; public health good; crops progressing favourably.



Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week preceding.	State of agricultural prospects.
<b>British Burma—contd.</b>		
Bassein ...	3.19	Total rainfall 90.97; public health good; 12 deaths from cattle-disease in one township; ploughing and transplanting continue; planted paddy looking well.
Prome ...	3.14	Total rainfall 30.88 inches; 5 deaths from cholera reported from district, otherwise public health good; more rain has fallen, and harvest prospects are better.
Amherst (Moulmein) ...	3.40	Total rainfall 156.33 inches; public health good, both in Moulmein and district; cattle-disease continues in three townships; resowing still going on.
Toungoo (Aug. 19th)	7.23	Total 60.29 inches; 3 cases and 1 death from small-pox in town, otherwise public health good; 13 deaths from cattle-disease in one township.
Ditto ( „ 26th)	6.74	Total rainfall 67.03; 4 cases and 2 deaths from sporadic cholera in one township, otherwise public health good. <i>General Remarks.</i> —Cholera in Tharrawaddy and a few cases in three or four other districts, otherwise public health good; cattle-disease continues; reports of crops generally satisfactory.
<b>Assam (Aug. 30th)</b>		
Gauhati ...	.62	Weather seasonable; transplantation in progress; prospects of crops and public health fair.
Sylhet ...	12.76	State and prospects of crops good; public health also good.
Cachar ...	4.38	Weather rainy; more than half of <i>sali</i> crops transplanted; reaping of <i>dumahi</i> and <i>murali</i> crops continues; prospects of tea good; common rice $21\frac{5}{16}$ seers per rupee; 1 case of cholera from Lakhimpur, 2 from Sadr reported.
Dibrugarh ...	6.36	Weather rainy; transplanting <i>sali</i> paddy; <i>aus</i> paddy harvested; cattle-disease still reported; public health good.
<b>Mysore and Coorg—(Aug. 30th)</b>		
Bangalore ...	2.56	Standing crops thriving.
Mysore ...	2.12	Standing crops in good condition.
Mercara ...	.73	Break in the monsoon continues; transplanting rice nearly completed; prospects of season and health good; prices stationary.
<i>General Remarks.</i> —Rain has been general throughout the Mysore State, in Kolar 2.66, in Shimoga .38; crops in good condition; sowing of <i>cholum</i> , <i>kar</i> , <i>ragi</i> , horse-gram, and other seeds in active progress; prospects favourable; public health good; prices satisfactory.		
<b>Berar &amp; Hyderabad—(Aug. 30th)</b>		
Amráoti ...	1.30	Crops in good condition; prices—wheat 16 and <i>juar</i> 28 seers per rupee.
Akola ...	.....	Rain wanted; crops doing well.
Hyderabad ...	1.26	Total rainfall from 1st January 17.11; <i>kharif</i> crops benefited by rainfall, and are thriving; rain urgently needed in the Merchall taluk, where there has been no rain during this week; <i>abi</i> sowings continue; fever prevalent in one taluk and cattle-disease in another; prices—wheat $15\frac{1}{2}$ , coarse rice $10\frac{1}{2}$ , white <i>juari</i> $25\frac{1}{2}$ , yellow <i>juari</i> $30\frac{1}{2}$ , and <i>tur</i> $25\frac{1}{2}$ seers per current sicca rupee.
<b>Central India States—(Aug. 30th)</b>		
Indore ...	.30	Prospects continue favourable, except in the city, where cholera has not yet disappeared; health is good.
Morar (Gwalior) ...	5.19	Health and prospects good.
Sutna ...	2.79	Public health good; crops thriving.
Neemuch ...	2.70	Crops and health good; wheat 20 seers per rupee.
Goona ...	6.32	Prospects good; cholera still at Bhopal.
Bhopal ...	5.56	Prospects good; cholera still in the district, but not generally prevalent.
Agar ...	No rain	<i>Kharif</i> prospects good; weather seasonable; health good; some cases cholera in cantonments; prices stationary.
Nowgong ...	2.67	Ploughing of land for <i>rabi</i> continues.
Manpur ...	Occasional slight showers.	
<b>Rajputana—</b>		
Abu (Aug. 30th)	3.37	Weather cloudy, occasionally clear.
Sirohi ( „ 27th)	.....	Tanks, wells, and health good; rain much needed for crops; weather cloudy.
Marwar ( „ 25th)	1.0	Four months' water in tanks; health good; prospects much improved; weather cloudy; prices falling.
Meywar ( „ 26th)	.....	Tanks and wells good; health fair; prospects very good; sky cloudy; more rain needed.
Harowti ( „ „ )	Deoli, 4.87; Tonk, 9.73	Indian-corn damaged by excessive rain; cholera reappearing in Tonk since 25th, 10 cases and 5 deaths reported.
Jhallawar ( „ 23rd)	1.71	Health and prospects good.
Ajmere ( „ 29th)	3.92	Seasonable rain during last week throughout the district; fine weather now wanted; prospects excellent; health good.
Jeypore ( „ „ )	3.51	Prospects fair; deaths from cholera in Jeypore city, daily average 5.
Ulwur ( „ „ )	1.73	Rain has done much good; prices falling; prospects good; health fair.
<b>Nepal—</b>		
Katmandu (Aug. 17th)	1.11	Weather cool, cloudy; occasional thunder showers; outturn of Indian-corn moderate; prospects of rice good.

E. C. BUCK,  
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week preceding.	Remarks.
<b>British Burma—contd.</b>		
Bassein ...	3.19	Total dis- plac
Prome ...	3.14	Total dis- plac
Amherst (Moulmein) ...	3.40	Total dis- plac
Toungoo (Aug. 19th)	7.23	Total 60.29 inches; 3 cases and 1 death from small-pox in town, otherwise public health good; 13 deaths from cattle-disease in one township.
Ditto ( „ 26th)	6.74	Total rainfall 67.03; 4 cases and 2 deaths from sporadic cholera in one township, otherwise public health good.
<b>Assam (Aug. 30th)</b>		
Gauhati ...	.62	Weather seasonable; transplantation in progress; prospects of crops and public health fair.
Sylhet ...	12.76	State and prospects of crops good; public health also good.
Cachar ...	4.38	Weather rainy; more than half of <i>sali</i> crops transplanted; reaping of <i>dumahi</i> and <i>murali</i> crops continues; prospects of tea good; common rice 21 $\frac{8}{16}$ seers per rupee; 1 case of cholera from Lakhimpur, 2 from Sadr reported.
Dibrugarh ...	6.36	Weather rainy; transplanting <i>sali</i> paddy; <i>aus</i> paddy harvested; cattle-disease still reported; public health good.
<b>Mysore and Coorg— (Aug. 30th)</b>		
Bangalore ...	2.56	Standing crops thriving.
Mysore ...	2.12	Standing crops in good condition.
Mercara ...	.73	Break in the monsoon continues; transplanting rice nearly completed; prospects of season and health good; prices stationary.
<b>Berar &amp; Hyderabad— (Aug. 30th)</b>		
Amrāoti ...	1.30	Crops in good condition; prices—wheat 16 and <i>juar</i> 28 seers per rupee.
Akola ...	.....	Rain wanted; crops doing well.
Hyderabad ...	1.26	Total rainfall from 1st January 17.11; <i>khari</i> crops benefited by rainfall, and are thriving; rain urgently needed in the Merchall taluk, where there has been no rain during this week; <i>abi</i> sowings continue; fever prevalent in one taluk and cattle-disease in another; prices—wheat 15½, coarse rice 10½, white <i>juari</i> 25½, yellow <i>juari</i> 30½, and <i>tur</i> 25½ seers per current sicca rupee.
<b>Central India States— (Aug. 30th)</b>		
Indore ...	.30	Prospects continue favourable, except in the city, where cholera has not yet disappeared; health is good.
Morar (Gwalior) ...	5.19	Health and prospects good.
Sutna ...	2.79	Public health good; crops thriving.
Neemuch ...	2.70	Crops and health good; wheat 20 seers per rupee.
Goona ...	6.32	Prospects good; cholera still at Bhopal.
Bhopal ...	5.56	Prospects good; cholera still in the district, but not generally prevalent.
Agar ...	No rain	<i>Khari</i> prospects good; weather seasonable; health good; some cases cholera in cantonments; prices stationary.
Nowgong ...	2.67	Ploughing of land for <i>rabi</i> continues.
Manpur ...	Occasional slight showers.	
<b>Rajputana—</b>		
Abu (Aug. 30th)	3.87	Weather cloudy, occasionally clear.
Sirohi ( „ 27th)	.....	Tanks, wells, and health good; rain much needed for crops; weather cloudy.
Marwar ( „ 25th)	1.0	Four months' water in tanks; health good; prospects much improved; weather cloudy; prices falling.
Meywar ( „ 26th)	.....	Tanks and wells good; health fair; prospects very good; sky cloudy; more rain needed.
Harowti ( „ „ )	Deoli, 4.87; Tonk, 9.73	Indian-corn damaged by excessive rain; cholera reappearing in Tonk since 25th, 10 cases and 5 deaths reported.
Jhallawar ( „ 23rd)	1.71	Health and prospects good.
Ajmere ( „ 29th)	3.92	Seasonable rain during last week throughout the district; fine weather now wanted; prospects excellent; health good.
Jeypore ( „ „ )	3.51	Prospects fair; deaths from cholera in Jeypore city, daily average 5.
Ulwur ( „ „ )	1.73	Rain has done much good; prices falling; prospects good; health fair.
<b>Nepal—</b>		
Katmandu (Aug. 17th)	1.11	Weather cool, cloudy; occasional thunder showers; outturn of Indian-corn moderate; prospects of rice good.

E. C. BUCK,  
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.  
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

IRON WORKS IN RANIGANJ.

Nos. 1-2C.I., dated Simla, 1st September 1882.

Read—

Government of India, Department of Finance and Commerce, Resolution No. 2899, dated 4th August 1882.

OBSERVATIONS.—The Government of India having lately had under consideration an application from a Calcutta firm, representing certain iron matters in England, enquiring what quantity of manufactured iron Government of India would be prepared to take annually from any Company purchasing the Raniganj Iron Works and at what prices, deem it advisable to notify the views on the subject for general information.

2. The Government of India are not disposed to part with the Iron Works in question to any Company which is not in command of a capital of from 40 to 50 lakhs of rupees, and which does not contemplate the manufacture of wrought iron and steel as well as castings. They are moreover not prepared to bind themselves to purchase from the Works more than from 12,000 to 15,000 tons of iron and steel annually for ten years, in the proportions of—

					Percentage.
Steel	...	...	...	...	30
Cast iron	...	...	...	...	60
Wrought iron	...	...	...	...	10
					100

3. It is however probable that a larger quantity would be required until other iron works have been established in other parts of India.

4. The quantity specified is based on a calculation of the average annual consumption of the territory to the north and east of the East Indian Railway from Calcutta to Mogul Serai, which area it is considered the Iron Works at Raniganj might permanently command, irrespective of any foundries that might eventually be established in the Central Provinces and Upper India.

5. In addition to the above, the Raniganj Iron Works Company would have such custom as it could secure from guaranteed subsidised and private Railway Companies and from the general public for the supply of such articles as roof-girders, railings, water pipes; but in view of the prospect of iron works being opened in other parts of the Empire, such custom would probably not extend permanently much beyond the area above indicated.

6. With regard to price, it is considered that the promoters of any Company should propose to the Government of India the rates at which it would be prepared to undertake contracts for the supply of its manufactures.

7. The rates proposed should consist of a fixed English price *plus* average freight payable in England in sterling, or in India, if the Company should prefer it, after conversion at the current rate of exchange at the time of payment; also perhaps an addition of Rs. 5 per ton payable in India for Railway freight between Calcutta and the foundry.

ORDER.—Ordered, that copy of this Resolution be forwarded to the Government of Bengal in the Public Works Department for information and guidance; also that copy be published in the *Gazette of India* for general information.

W. S. TREVOR, Colonel, R.E.,  
Secretary to the Government of India.





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GOVERNMENT  
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE

## PRICES CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS THROUGHOUT

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MADRAS.		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
	Ganjam . . . . .	7 6	8 13	11 13*	...	...	...	17 13	17 13	17 13	19 8	19 8	19 8	...	...	...	22 13	20 13	25 1
	Vizagapatam . . . . .	10 0	10 0	13 0	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	13 6	11 5	11 5	14 11	...	21 10	25 14	22 13	20 13	25 1
	Godevery . . . . .	11 11	12 10	12 10	...	...	...	13 14	13 14	13 14	17 0	17 0	17 0	28 13	26 13	23 0	...	...	...
	Kistna . . . . .	12 3	13 3	13 11	...	...	...	15 11	16 3	16 3	16 5	16 13	16 13	24 14	24 14	23 10	...	...	...
	Nellore . . . . .	12 10	13 3	12 3	...	...	...	15 13	15 13	14 5	17 0	17 8	15 0	29 11	13 10	28 13	...	...	...
	Cuddapah . . . . .	12 8	12 8	14 0	...	...	...	11 14	11 14	12 6	13 11	13 11	13 5	26 0	26 0	30 0	31 14	14 31	32 1
	Anantapur . . . . .	13 6	14 6	11 8	...	...	...	12 13	13 14	13 14	15 2	15 2	15 2	30 14	30 14	31 14	18 13	18 13	18 14
	Bellary . . . . .	15 5	14 6	15 13	...	...	...	12 5	12 5	11 3	13 8	13 8	12 6	35 0	33 0	35 0	22 10	24 6	31 0
	Kurnool . . . . .	12 6	12 11	11 6	...	...	...	10 10	11 6	10 10	11 6	12 2	11 6	31 8	30 2	32 14	23 2	22 8	23 11
	Madras . . . . .	9 13	10 2	9 8	...	...	...	13 5	13 5	13 5	15 2	15 2	14 8	23 0	24 8	20 3	25 0	25 0	22 6
	Chingleput . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 8	15 0	13 8	15 2	15 14	15 2	...	...	...	...	...	...
	North Arcot . . . . .	10 8	10 8	11 0	...	...	...	14 6	15 0	14 0	16 14	16 14	15 0	34 10	30 14	27 5	28 2	27 3	28 2
	South Arcot . . . . .	9 0	9 6	9 6	...	...	...	15 11	15 11	13 14	16 3	16 10	14 14	...	...	...	28 8	27 11	23 10
	Tanjore . . . . .	9 10	10 5	10 11	...	...	...	15 13	16 3*	14 2	...	...	...	28 10	34 3	35 6	26 3	30 6	27 10
	Trichinopoly . . . . .	8 8	...	11 3	...	...	...	14 0	13 11	13 5	14 8	14 2	14 2	26 10	25 3	35 3	24 2	25 6	25 6
	Madura . . . . .	11 5	11 11	10 8	...	...	...	15 2	15 8	13 0	15 10	16 0	13 8	31 10	31 10	30 13	30 13	14 30	14 28
	Tinnevely . . . . .	8 0	9 3	8 14	...	...	...	15 6	15 8	11 2	15 13	16 0	12 6	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Coimbatore . . . . .	11 8	10 11	13 2	...	...	...	13 2	13 8	12 10	14 8	14 8	13 10	27 13	26 2	27 13	35 0	28 10	27 0
	Nilgiris . . . . .	9 14	9 14	9 14	...	...	...	10 6	9 10	10 6	11 3	11 3	11 3	24 10	23 2*	20 0	22 6	22 6	19 10
	Salem . . . . .	11 14	12 11	13 10	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	14 0	15 0	15 0	16 0	29 2	29 2	27 5	24 10	19 11	26 2
South Canara . . . . .	8 10	8 10	9 14	...	...	...	9 3	9 3	8 11	11 13	11 13	14 11	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Malabar . . . . .	7 8	7 3	9 6	...	...	...	13 13	13 5	13 13	14 8	13 13	15 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	
BOMBAY.	Bombay . . . . .	9 13	10 9	11 9	17 13	16 5	16 14	7 8	7 8	7 4	10 7	10 16	13 10	18 6	20 0	21 12	14 15	15 19	8
	Ahmedabad . . . . .	13 0	13 8	16 0	...	...	23 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	12 0	17 0	17 0	0 24	0 16	8 16	8 22
	Kaira . . . . .	11 13	13 5	14 9	20 0	20 0	32 0	10 0	10 0	9 6	16 0	16 0	14 9	17 12	20 0	20 0	15 4	16 0	20 0
	Surat . . . . .	12 8	12 8	13 10	7 11	7 11	12 4	8 3	8 3	6 13	8 12	8 12	8 5	15 9	15 9	18 13	14 14	14 17	13
	Broach . . . . .	12 5	12 5	16 0	...	...	...	9 6*	9 6*	8 14*	12 9	12 9	12 4*	15 4	15 4	18 13	13 13	10 13	12
	Tanna (Salsette) . . . . .	10 5	9 12	11 11	...	...	...	8 3	8 3	7 3	10 0	10 0	11 4	18 10	18 10	18 10	15 0	15 0	18 0
	Colaba (Alibég) . . . . .	8 8	10 0	10 0	...	...	...	6 12	7 0	6 12	13 8	13 0	13 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Khandesh (Dhulia) . . . . .	15 0	14 2	18 8*	...	...	...	7 4	7 4	7 4	10 15	10 15	10 15	23 13	23 13	34 0	19 13	14 26	9
	Nasik . . . . .	14 4	15 8	16 0	...	...	...	7 7	7 7	7 7	12 0	12 0	11 14	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Ahmednagar . . . . .	13 13	13 12	15 14	...	...	...	10 5	9 7	8 8*	12 3	12 5	10 8*	31 4	31 5	5 35	8 24	7 24	1 28
	Poona . . . . .	12 10	12 10	13 13	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	9 3	12 4	12 4	11 0	23 15	23 15	26 2	18 6	18 6	1 8
	Sholapur . . . . .	13 2	12 11	18 1	...	...	...	10 5	10 11	11 7	11 5	11 8	12 4	34 15	35 6	6 24	13 24	13 30	11
	Kaladgi (Bagalkot) . . . . .	21 0	19 0	16 12	14 8	14 8	15 12	6 8	6 8	7 12	9 0	9 0	10 8	38 0	35 0	25 0	32 0	31 0	25 0
	Satara . . . . .	12 1	12 1	14 11	...	...	...	9 11	9 11	9 5	11 7	11 7	11 7	26 10	26 10	26 10	22 0	22 0	23 13
	Belgaum . . . . .	19 0	19 0	18 0	13 0	13 0	11 0	10 0	9 8	11 0	10 8	10 0	11 8	27 0	27 0	28 3	24 0	24 0	30 0
	Dharwar (Hubli) . . . . .	23 0	23 0	21 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	12 0	14 0	13 0	15 0	28 0	26 0	36 0	23 0	23 0	30 0
	Latnagiri . . . . .	10 9	10 9	10 9	...	...	...	7 13	7 13	9 15	12 11	12 11	12 11	11 18	11 18	3 20	13 14	11 14	15 15
	Kanara (Karwar) . . . . .	10 8	9 0	12 11	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	11 0	11 8	14 11	14 0	16 0	21 11	...	...	...
	Panch Mahals (Godhra) . . . . .	11 6	11 6	13 5	...	...	...	11 6	11 6	11 6	15 0	15 0	15 0	25 0	22 8	40 0	16 0	16 0	24 0
	Aden . . . . .	8 0	8 0	8 0	...	...	...	6 3	6 3	6 3	7 0	7 0	7 0	11 3	11 3	9 5	8 0	9 5	8 0
	Asirgarh . . . . .	13 7	13 12	16 4	...	...	...	10 15	11 1	10 0	12 3	11 12	12 0	24 0	22 14	40 0	23 0	24 0	30 0
	Baroda . . . . .	10 9*	10 4*	11 7	14 2	14 10*	17 11	10 9*	9 2	7 11	12 0	11 6	11 7	17 10	16 7	...	15 14	14 10	18 14
	Disa . . . . .	14 8	13 13	15 8	...	...	23 8	6 6	6 6	6 8	8 11	8 11	8 8	17 8	17 8	8 24	0 17	0 16	0 20
	Nimach . . . . .	15 0	15 0	18 0	18 0	18 0	22 0	9 0	8 12	7 8	10 0	10 0	9 0	20 0	19 8	22 0	16 0	16 0	23 0
	Nasirabad . . . . .	16 0	16 2*	16 8	23 0	22 12*	23 2*	6 0	6 0	6 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	24 1*	23 3*	27 0	16 14	16 2*	19 8
	Rajkot . . . . .	13 4	13 2	17 8	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	5 8	11 0	11 0	10 4	15 8	14 15	27 0	14 0	13 7	22 8
	Upper Sindh Frontier . . . . .	13 0	14 5	12 0	25 4	26 0	17 8	11 4	11 4	9 0	20 0	20 0	13 0	32 0	32 0	20 4	26 0	28 0	...
	Karachi . . . . .	12 5	12 5	11 8	21 8	21 8	16 0	9 8	9 8	8 8	18 0	17 0	12 0	22 0	22 0	0 19	0 18	0 18	0 18
	Haidarabad (Nakur) . . . . .	14 0	16 0	15 0	26 0	26 0	20 0	13 0	12 0	11 4	16 0	21 0	16 0	30 0	26 0	22 0	26 0	25 0	22 0
	Shikarpur . . . . .	12 8*	14 0	11 8	25 5	24 8*	19 1	12 0	13 2*	10 0	18 0	20 0	16 0	28 5	30 4	18 0	26 0	29 2	21 4
	Thar and Parkar (Umarkot) . . . . .	18 0	17 12	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 4	13 4	9 4	...	...	...	19 11	18 4	16 1
PUNJAB.	Western Districts.																		
	Burdwan . . . . .	13 0*	14 0	13 0	32 8	30 0	30 4	23 4	24 0	24 12	25 4	26 8	30 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bancoorah . . . . .	13 8*	13 8	14 0	15 0	15 0	17 0	20 0	22 8	23 12	24 0	29 0	40 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Beerbhoom . . . . .	13 0*	13 4	15 0	...	...	...	18 0	18 12	22 0	19 8	24 0	29 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Midnapore . . . . .	14 0*	14 0	15 0	...	...	...	20 0	21 0	20 0	24 0	24 8	30 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hooghly . . . . .	15 0*	18 0	15 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	10 0	19 0	19 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Howrah . . . . .	13 4	13 4	15 0	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	18 12	19 8	20 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	

\* The figures now given are correct.

a In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow :—Cutwa 11-8 seers and Rancegunge 13-4 seers.

b Retail prices of salt at Raipore and Chitna 12 seers, at Ooda and Indas 10 seers, and at Meja, Bishnupore, and Sonamukhi 13 seers.

c In the interior retail prices of salt range from 10 to 14 seers.



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PEERS OF 80 TOLAHS.

\* Retail price of salt at Contai is 12 seers.  
 † Retail price of salt at Bahugunge, Jhikrapota, and Balor 13-8 seers, Serampore 13 seers, Chanditola 12-8 seers, Baidyabati 14 seers, Bhaddeswar 14-8 seers, and Jehanabad 13-8 seers.

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		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
<b>Central Districts.</b>																			
	Calcutta . . . . .	13 5	13 5	13 14	26 8	21 5	32 0	10 0	10 0	8 0	20 0	20 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	24-Pergunnahs . . . . .	12 9	11 12	12 12	20 0	20 0	26 8	9 8	9 0	10 0	17 8	16 0	19 0	...	20 0	...	...	...	...
	Nuddea . . . . .	14 8	14 8	16 0	...	26 0	40 0	16 0	16 13	17 4	19 6	20 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Khoolna . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	17 0	22 0	22 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Jessore . . . . .	14 8	14 0	14 0	...	...	...	14 12	17 0	21 0	23 8	22 0	29 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Moorshedabad . . . . .	14 8	15 0	18 0	...	...	...	14 8	16 0	18 0	20 0	24 0	26 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Dinagore . . . . .	14 0	11 0	15 8	16 0	17 0	26 8	18 0	16 0	21 8	19 4	19 3	29 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Rajshahye . . . . .	13 8	13 8	22 0	32 0	45 0	49 0	12 0	15 0	19 12	18 0	19 4	25 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Rungpore . . . . .	15 0	15 0	16 5	...	...	...	17 4	19 0	21 8	21 8	21 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bogra . . . . .	15 0	16 8	24 0	...	...	...	18 8	15 12	19 12	26 4	26 4	30 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Pubna . . . . .	16 0	17 0	23 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	12 0	25 0	26 4	26 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Darjeeling . . . . .	11 0	8 0	10 0	10 0	8 0	8 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	13 0	13 0	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Jalpaiguri . . . . .	10 0	9 0	10 0	20 0	20 0	...	14 0	14 0	18 5	20 0	18 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Eastern Districts.</b>																			
	Dacca . . . . .	13 5	13 5	14 8	40 0	40 0	40 0	25 0	29 0	25 0	33 12	32 0	35 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Furzedpore . . . . .	22 0	22 0	21 0	30 8	35 0	32 0	23 0	22 0	7 8	24 8	24 0	26 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Backergunge . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	19 0	20 0	20 0	23 0	24 0	30 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Mymensingh . . . . .	10 0	10 8	13 0	...	...	...	22 0	22 0	23 0	29 0	30 0	27 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Tipperah . . . . .	11 8	11 8	14 0	...	...	...	23 0	22 8	22 8	28 8	28 0	34 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Chittagong . . . . .	9 0	9 0	12 4	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	14 0	26 0	25 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Nonkholy . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	26 0	26 0	24 0	28 0	28 0	29 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Chittagong Hill Tracts . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 5	13 5	16 0	17 12	17 12	17 3	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hill Tipperah . . . . .	11 0	11 0	12 0	...	...	...	22 0	22 0	28 0	28 0	29 0	38 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Behar.</b>																			
	Patna . . . . .	18 8	18 8	19 0	34 0	34 0	37 8	12 0	12 0	14 0	22 0	22 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Gya . . . . .	17 0	17 8	19 0	27 0	29 0	37 0	12 0	12 8	12 8	18 0	18 8	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Shahabad . . . . .	15 0	14 8	16 8	23 0	25 0	35 0	16 0	16 0	18 8	19 0	20 8	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Durbhunga . . . . .	15 0	14 0	17 0	33 0	32 8	33 0	14 8	14 8	14 8	17 0	17 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Mozufferpore . . . . .	16 0	16 0	20 0	30 0	30 0	40 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	16 0	15 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Saran . . . . .	14 8	15 0	17 0	24 0	27 0	41 0	9 0	10 0	10 8	18 0	20 0	22 8	26 0	30 0	40 0	...	...	...
	Chumpan . . . . .	18 0	22 18	22 0	31 0	35 0	49 0	12 0	12 0	14 0	18 0	19 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Monghyr . . . . .	15 12	15 12	17 13	31 8	31 8	39 14	16 13	14 10	15 12	18 14	18 14	19 15	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bhagalpur . . . . .	13 14	14 8	15 2	31 9	30 4	44 7	17 11	17 11	17 11	18 15	21 7	20 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Purneah . . . . .	14 0	14 0	26 0	...	...	40 0	20 0	20 0	21 0	21 0	22 0	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Maldah . . . . .	16 0	16 0	18 0	...	...	...	17 0	15 0	16 0	20 0	20 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	South Pargunnahs . . . . .	13 0	13 0	15 0	...	...	...	17 0	18 0	24 0	22 0	23 0	27 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Orissa.</b>																			
	Cuttack . . . . .	15 12	13 2	16 8	...	...	...	17 1	15 12	17 10	26 4	27 9	21 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Pooree . . . . .	11 4	10 0	17 1	...	...	...	20 0	20 0	19 11	26 4	24 0	22 5	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Balsore . . . . .	14 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	22 0	26 0	21 0	30 0	32 0	32 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>Chota Nagpore--South-Western Frontier Agency.</b>																			
	Hazaribagh . . . . .	12 0	12 0	16 8	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	12 0	18 0	18 0	18 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Lohardugga . . . . .	15 0	16 0	17 0	22 0	24 0	...	20 0	20 0	20 0	22 0	22 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Singbhoom . . . . .	20 0	20 0	24 0	28 0	28 0	40 0	36 0	32 0	32 0	40 0	36 0	36 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Manbhoom . . . . .	12 0	13 0	12 0	...	...	40 0	16 0	18 0	20 0	30 0	30 0	30 0	...	40 0	...	...	...	...

f In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow :--Baraset and Bussirhat 13 seers, Diamond Harbour and Barrapore 10-8 seers, Barrackpore 12-12 seers, and Dum-Dum 13 seers.

g In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow :--Koothea and Bongong 13 seers, Meherpore 10 seers, Choondanga 13 seers, and Ranaghat 12-14 seers.

h Retail price of salt at Bagirhat 11 seers.

i In the sub-divisions retail price of salt is 12 seers.

j In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow :--Lalbagh 11 seers, Jungpore 11-8 seers, and Kandi 11-8 seers.

k Retail prices of salt at Raingunge 11-8 seers and at Nitpore 12 seers.

l In Naitore retail price of salt is 12 seers.

m In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow :--Gaibanda 11 seers, Nilphamari 12 seers, and Kurigram 10 seers.

n Retail price of salt at Seragunge 12-12 seers.

o Retail prices of salt at Kuraong 8 seers and Silligori 10-1 seers.

p Retail price of salt at Faliacotta in Alipore sub-division is 10-8 seers.

q Retail prices of salt at Manickgunge 12 seers, Moonsheegunge 10-5 seers, Roopgunge 10-8 seers, Harirampore 16 seers, and Naraingunge 13-8 seers.

r In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow :--Goalundo and Gopalgunge 12 seers, Madaripore 13 seers, and Bhanga 17 seers.

s In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow :--Patuakhali 10-10 seers, Perozepore 11 seers, and Bhoia 10 seers.

t In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow :--Kishoregunge 8 seers, Attea 12 seers, Jamal pore 11 seers, and Netrokona 12-5 seers.

u Retail price of salt at Chandpore 12 seers.



INDIA FOR THE 1st HALF OF AUGUST 1882—continued.

SEERS OF 80 TOLAHS.

Sesser Millets, Raci, &c. (Kavaru, Veragu, Sawee, Cheena, Coraloo, Murh- wa, Nagree), Ponikum Mitacum, &c.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			DISTRICTS.			PROVINCES.					
Present for- night.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fort- night of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fort- night of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fort- night of 1881.	Wholesale prices per maund of 40 seers.			Retail.								
									Present fort- night.	Past fort- night.	Correspond- ing fortnight of 1881.	Present fort- night.	Past fort- night.	Correspond- ing fortnight of 1881.						
Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	S.	Ch.	
Central Districts.																				
...	...	...	22	10	21	5	24	8	90	0	90	0	2	10	0	2	10	0	Calcutta	
...	...	...	18	12	17	8	22	8	80	0	90	0	3	0	0	3	0	0	24-Pergunnahs	
...	...	...	22	15	22	15	29	0	...	...	...	...	3	0	0	3	0	0	Nuddea	
...	...	...	12	0	12	0	10	0	160	0	160	0	3	2	0	3	2	0	Khoolna	
...	...	...	16	0	16	0	22	8	120	0	120	0	3	2	0	3	2	0	Jessore	
...	...	...	23	0	22	0	34	0	120	0	120	0	3	2	0	3	4	0	Moorshedabad	
...	...	...	17	8	20	0	18	0	160	0	180	0	3	3	0	3	4	0	Dinapore	
...	...	...	18	12	19	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Rajshahye	
...	...	...	19	11	21	0	31	0	320	0	240	0	3	2	0	3	5	3	Rangpore	
...	...	...	15	0	15	0	12	0	130	0	130	0	3	5	3	3	5	3	Bogra	
...	...	...	15	6	15	12	22	8	67	8	67	8	3	5	4	3	5	4	Pubna	
...	...	...	20	0	20	0	20	0	200	0	200	0	3	3	6	3	3	6	Darjeeling	
...	...	...	10	0	9	0	10	0	160	0	160	0	4	8	0	4	8	0	Jalpaiguri	
...	...	...	16	0	16	0	13	5	128	0	128	0	3	4	0	3	4	0		
Eastern Districts.																				
...	...	...	20	0	20	0	20	0	106	8	106	8	3	3	0	3	3	0	Dacca	
...	...	...	8	0	12	0	12	0	...	...	...	...	2	14	0	2	13	9	Furzedpore	
...	...	...	18	0	18	0	17	0	100	0	100	0	2	15	0	3	11	0	Backergunge	
...	...	...	16	0	16	0	17	8	...	...	...	...	3	8	0	3	4	0	Mymensingh	
...	...	...	18	0	18	0	18	0	...	...	...	...	3	5	0	3	4	0	Tipperah	
...	...	...	16	0	16	0	16	0	80	0	80	0	2	14	0	2	14	0	Chittagong	
...	...	...	16	0	14	0	14	0	...	...	...	...	3	2	0	3	2	0	Noakholly	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	320	0	320	0	3	4	0	3	4	0	Chittagong Hill Tracts	
...	...	...	14	0	14	0	9	0	...	...	...	...	3	6	0	3	6	0	Hill Tipperah	
Behar.																				
...	...	...	30	0	30	0	32	0	130	0	130	0	3	0	0	3	0	0	Patna	
...	...	...	23	0	25	0	31	0	180	0	180	0	3	6	6	3	6	0	Gya	
...	...	...	25	8	28	0	32	8	120	0	120	0	3	1	0	3	1	0	Shahabad	
...	...	...	26	0	29	0	33	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
...	...	...	22	8	22	0	31	0	140	0	160	0	3	10	0	3	4	6	Durbhunga	
...	...	...	25	0	23	0	33	0	140	0	140	0	3	4	0	3	4	0	Mozufferpore	
...	...	...	25	0	27	0	31	0	160	0	160	0	3	6	0	3	6	0	Sarun	
...	...	...	25	0	28	0	35	0	...	...	...	...	3	0	0	3	8	0	Chumparan	
...	...	...	28	6	26	4	33	9	126	0	126	0	3	1	0	3	1	0	Monghyr	
...	...	...	25	4	25	14	32	12	151	8	126	4	2-15-11	2-15-11	...	...	...	...	Bhagalpur	
...	...	...	21	0	22	0	25	0	160	0	160	0	3	8	0	3	8	0	Purneah	
...	...	...	20	0	22	0	27	0	200	0	200	0	3	2	0	3	2	0	Maldah	
...	...	...	20	0	20	0	24	0	200	0	200	0	3	10	0	3	12	0	Sonthal Pergunnahs	
Orissa.																				
...	...	...	17	8	14	0	18	6	120	0	100	0	2	12	0	2	12	0	Cuttack	
...	...	...	13	0	13	0	16	0	140	0	140	0	3	2	0	3	2	0	Pooree	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Balasore	
Chota Nagpore—South- Western Frontier Agency.																				
...	...	...	32	0	48	0	17	8	200	0	200	0	3	10	0	3	11	3	Hazaribagh	
...	...	...	32	0	48	0	15	0	120	0	120	0	4	2	0	4	4	0	Lohardugga	
...	...	...	24	0	24	0	21	0	180	0	180	0	4	9	0	4	7	0	Singbhoom	
...	...	...	17	0	17	0	20	0	120	0	120	0	3	10	0	3	12	0	Manbhoom	

a Retail price of salt at Hathazaree 11 seers.

b In the interior retail prices of salt range from 8 to 11 seers.

c In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow :—Jehanabad 12 seers, and Nowada 10 seers.

d In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow :—Buxar and Sasseram 11-8 seers, and Bhabuah 10-12 seers.

e In the sub-divisions retail price of salt is 11-8 seers.

f In the interior retail prices of salt range from 10 to 13 seers.

g In the interior retail prices of salt range from 9 to 12-8 seers.

h In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow :—Jamui 12-5 seers, and Beguseral 12 seers.

i In the sub-divisions retail prices of salt are as follow :—Banka 11 seers, Mudehpura 10-8 seers, and Soopole 10 seers.

j Retail prices of salt at Othree 10 seers, Kusba 11-8 seers, Kisanungunge 8 seers, and Ranigunge in Arrareah sub-division 9 seers.

k Retail prices of salt at Godda 11 seers and at Sarowni 10 seers.

l In Khurda sub-division retail price of salt is 13 seers.

m Retail price of salt at Bhadrak 11 seers.

n Retail price of salt at Chatra 11 seers and Kurruckdiha 12 seers.

o Retail price of salt at Daitongunge 9 seers.

p Retail prices of salt at Raghunathpore and Goyindpore 12 seers, and Jhalda 10 seers.

## PRICES CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS THROUGHOUT

		QUANTITIES PER RUPEE																	
		Wheat.			Barley.			Rice (best sort).			Rice (common).			Great Millet (Cholam, Jawar), Hoicui Sorghum.			Bairush Millet (Cumbao, Baira), Pentstilaria Spicata.		
DISTRICTS.		Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.
		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
ASSAM.	Sylhet	10 8	10 8	13 0	...	...	...	14 0	17 0	16 0	28 0	35 0	31 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Cachur	9 2	9 2	11 6	13 5	16 0	16 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	24 10	22 12	22 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Goalpara	22 12	22 0	32 0	...	...	...	13 5	14 0	16 0	20 0	17 0	22 13	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Garo Hills	4 0	4 0	4 0	...	...	...	5 0	5 0	5 0	16 0	16 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Kamrup	13 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	13 0	12 8	13 8	18 0	18 0	15 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Darrang	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	8 0	8 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Nowgong	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 8	13 8	10 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Sibsagar	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 8	7 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Lakhimpur	8 0	8 0	9 0	10 0	10 0	8 0	9 0	8 0	7 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Khási & Jaintia Hills	8 0	8 0	10 0	...	...	...	9 0	10 0	9 0	10 0	11 0	10 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Naga Hills	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 0	5 0	4 0	8 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
N. W. PROVINCES.	Dehra Dun	18 0	18 0	18 0	29 0	29 0	29 0	11 0	11 0	10 0	12 8	12 8	11 0	24 0	22 0	0 18	0 22	0 18	0 22
	Saharanpur	18 5	19 5	21 9	32 5	27 15	30 14	9 11	9 11	8 1	12 14	12 14	11 14	32 5	26 14	27 0	21 9	21 8	21 9
	Muzaffarnagar	18 2	18 11	20 4	29 11	29 11	33 0	6 9	6 9	6 9	14 5	14 5	14 5	27 8	27 8	25 5	22 0	22 0	22 0
	Meerut	17 0	17 8	21 0	25 0	25 0	32 0	6 0	6 0	5 8	15 0	15 0	13 0	25 0	26 0	0 25	0 21	0 21	0 20
	Bulandshahr	18 8	19 0	20 6	24 0	24 0	30 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	10 5	10 0	10 4	24 0	24 0	0 21	0 22	0 22	0 20
	Aligarh	17 4	17 4	18 8	24 0	23 0	26 8	5 8	6 0	6 0	12 0	13 0	15 0	24 0	25 0	0 17	8 14	8 16	8 19
	Kanunau	17 0	16 0	16 8	18 0	17 0	19 0	10 0	10 0	8 0	13 0	13 0	13 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Garhwal	22 0	23 8	20 0	24 0	25 0	22 0	9 0	9 0	7 8	15 0	15 0	11 7	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bijnor	16 8	16 14	20 4	24 7	25 10	28 11	11 13	10 2	10 2	12 15	12 6	10 9	32 8	22 8	8 15	12 18	9 19	11 16
	Moradabad	18 7	18 12	21 14	23 12	23 12	30 10	9 6	9 6	7 13	13 2	13 2	14 6	25 0	24 6	6 23	12 18	2 20	2 23
	Rudnan	17 1	17 8	21 0	21 9	22 12	28 12	9 9	9 9	6 0	13 3	13 12	14 1	18 0	20 6	6 12	0 18	0 20	6 12
	Bareilly	16 14	16 14	20 0	21 14	21 4	26 4	7 8	7 8	7 8	13 2	13 12	14 6	22 8	21 4	20 0	0 21	4 20	0 18
	Shahjahanpur	18 4	18 6	20 0	24 8	24 4	28 8	8 4	9 4	7 8	14 8	14 8	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Tarai Pergumnahs	20 0	20 0	22 8	30 0	30 0	35 0	7 8	7 8	10 0	14 0	14 0	12 8	20 0	20 0	0 17	8 20	0 20	0 25
	Muttra	16 12	17 0	19 0	21 8	22 0	24 0	...	...	8 0	14 8	14 0	14 0	25 0	25 0	0 16	0 21	8 20	0 20
	Agra	16 12	17 0	17 12	22 8	23 0	22 8	6 8	6 8	6 0	14 0	14 0	13 8	23 0	23 0	0 22	0 21	0 20	0 20
	Farakhabad	17 11	17 11	19 10	22 9	22 0	27 9	6 13	7 0	6 2	13 15	13 7	14 5	22 9	22 2	2 19	6 21	2 24	2 21
	Mainpuri	18 12	18 8	17 8	23 0	24 8	24 0	5 0	4 0	5 0	11 0	12 0	12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Etawah	17 8	17 0	17 8	23 8	23 0	23 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	14 8	14 8	14 8	24 0	25 0	0 20	0 16	0 16	0 18
	Etah	18 12	18 8	20 8	23 8	22 8	27 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	13 0	13 0	12 0	20 8	20 0	...	19 0	19 0	...
	Jalaun	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	10 0	10 0	8 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	28 0	28 0	0 24	0 22	0 22	0 20
	Jhansi	22 0	22 0	23 2	32 10	32 2	30 0	8 3	8 8	7 8	15 0	15 0	13 0	38 0	27 0	0 25	7 21	...	21 6
	Lalitpur	21 0	22 0	27 8	37 0	37 0	35 0	11 0	10 0	9 0	12 0	12 0	11 0	32 0	32 0	0 38	0 27	0 26	0 26
	Cawnpore	17 8	17 8	19 0	26 0	26 0	28 0	11 0	11 0	10 8	14 8	15 0	15 0	25 8	25 8	8 24	0 25	8 25	8 24
	Fatehpur	16 4	16 12	17 12	23 12	24 0	24 0	11 4	11 4	10 10	15 4	15 8	13 14	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Banda	18 0	18 0	17 8	23 0	25 0	20 0	9 0	9 0	10 0	13 8	13 8	13 8	33 0	33 0	0 33	0 22	0 30	0 30
	Allahabad	17 8	17 8	18 0	25 0	25 8	23 8	12 0	11 8	11 0	17 8	17 0	16 4	32 0	29 0	0 26	0 29	0 28	12 24
	Banipur	16 14	16 0	16 5	20 4	20 0	22 8	12 6	9 0	9 14	...	...	13 8	27 0	25 0	...	26 7	24 0	20 4
Jampur	19 0	18 10	20 7	29 10	30 11	33 14	7 1	7 1	7 12	14 2	15 8	16 15	...	...	...	16 15	22 9	16 15	
Gorakhpur	17 13	16 8	19 12	24 3	22 8	50 6	12 9	12 9	15 5	16 3	16 3	21 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Bisti	16 8	15 8	20 12	30 0	38 0	40 0	12 0	12 0	13 0	15 0	14 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Azimgarh	17 11	18 7	20 10	28 0	27 5	35 6	11 1	8 14	8 14	17 11	17 11	17 0	...	...	...	20 10	20 10	...	
Mirzapur	15 0	17 0	17 8	20 0	22 0	25 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	18 0	18 0	17 0	27 0	27 0	0 28	0 26	0 26	0 24	
Benares	16 4	15 11	18 7	24 15	24 15	26 14	11 15	11 15	12 12	16 13	16 8	21 2	26 8	26 8	24 15	27 10	27 10	20 29	
Ghazipur	17 6	18 0	18 10	23 13	25 12	31 8	10 15	10 15	10 5	16 1	19 15	17 6	25 12	30 14	25 12	20 9	20 9	26 6	
Balia	15 0	15 0	19 6	27 8	25 0	35 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	15 0	15 0	21 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Pilibhit	19 2	18 6	21 4	28 3	28 4	33 10	15 0	15 0	15 9	16 4	16 4	17 8	...	16 4	...	...	...	...	
UPPER.	Lucknow	16 7	16 8	19 0	23 7	23 6	26 4	6 0	6 0	6 0	14 4	14 0	14 0	22 4	22 4	4 24	10 22	0 22	0 28
	Unao	17 8	18 0	19 8	24 8	25 0	24 0	10 0	13 8	7 0	15 8	15 0	13 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bara Banki	17 0	17 0	20 0	25 0	24 0	27 0	11 0	10 0	9 0	16 0	14 0	15 0	31 0	29 0	0 29	0 21	0 19	0 20
	Sitapur	18 3	19 4	22 13	24 10	26 14	30 8	8 0	8 0	8 8	15 8	17 6	15 10	22 0	20 12	16 0	0 20	0 19	12 23
	Hardui	16 15	15 15	20 5	22 8	23 0	33 12	5 10	5 10	5 10	11 0	11 4	13 2	...	21 9	...	...	22 8	...
	Kheri	18 8	19 4	24 0	27 0	27 0	34 0	7 0	7 0	9 0	16 0	15 0	15 0	27 0	31 0	...	...	...	...
	Fyzabad	17 0	16 4	18 12	26 8	26 0	28 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	16 6	16 0	14 8	30 0	29 8	8 32	12 22	...	...
	Bbarach	16 0	16 0	19 0	32 0	34 0	38 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	17 0	18 0	16 0	30 0	30 0	0 40	0 13	0 13	0 16
	Gonda	18 9	19 0	22 14	30 4	31 8	35 8	15 8	15 8	15 0	17 4	17 8	18 8	33 4	36 0	0 42	0 24	0 24	0 24
	Rai Bareli	19 0	19 4	18 12	27 0	24 8	21 4	...	...	...	16 8	16 8	13 12	24 0	24 0	...	20 0	18 0	...
Sultanpur	19 0	19 4	20 12	29 0	29 0	30 0	11 0	11 0	10 0	17 0	17 0	16 8	...	...	...	22 0	22 0	...	
Parbhagarh	19 5	19 6	20 4	29 2	28 13	30 14	16 2	16 6	14 0	17 10	17 9	15 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	
PUNJAB.	Delhi	17 8	18 4	19 8	24 0	24 4	26 0	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	13 0	25 0	24 8	8 23	0 20	0 30	8 19
	Gurgaon	17 8	18 8	20 8	22 8	23 12	28 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	13 0	24 0	22 8	8 18	0 19	0 30	0 22
	Karnal [a]	17 0	19 0	20 0	27 0	31 0	32 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	12 0	27 0	27 0	0 28	0 16	0 16	0 20
	Hissar	17 0	18 0	18 8	30 0	32 0	24 8	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	10 0	28 0	30 0	0 27	0 26	0 28	0 24
	Rohtak	No return received	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Sirsa [b]	19 12	21 8	18 0	33 4	38 8	30 0	...	...	...	12 0	14 0	12 0	33 8	40 0	0 24	0 27	12 31	0 25
	Umbaila [c]	21 0	22 0	20 0	26 0	30 0	25 0	...	...	...	12 0	11 8	12 0	27 0	28 0	0 20	0 28	0 26	0 11
	Ludhiana	No return received	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Simla	14 0	14 8	13 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	11 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Jullundur [d]	22 0	24 0	20 0	32 0	36 0	30 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	32 0	34 0	0 26	0 20	0 23	0 18
Hoshiarpur	23 0	24 8	20 8	31 0	34 0	30 0	...	...	...	11 0	10 0	10 0	27 0	29 0	0 22	0 17	0 17	0 12	
Kangra	24 0	24 0	20 0	38 0	38 0	30 0	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	13 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	

[d] Barley rising. [b] Barley, baṛa, jowar, and gram rising. [c] Barley and firewood rising. [d] Barley rising. \* Mandwa : Present 26 seers, past 30 seers, corresponding 25 seers.



DIA FOR THE 1st HALF OF AUGUST 1882—continued.

FEERS OF 80 TOLAH.

Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale.			Retail.			DISTRICTS.					
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## PRICES CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS THROUGHOUT THE UNITED STATES

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[a] Jowar falling.

[b] Barley rising.

[c] Firewood falling.



N SEERS OF 80 TOLAHS.

\* No wholesale salt sold.

## PRICES CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS THROUGHOUT

PROVINCES.		DISTRICTS.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE																							
			Wheat.			Barley.			Rice (best sort).			Rice (common).			Great Millet (Cholum, Jowar). <i>Holcus Sorghum.</i>			Burrush Millet (Cumboo, Bajra). <i>Pennisetia Spica</i>								
			Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.	Present fortnight.	Past fortnight.	Corresponding fortnight of 1881.			
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		Tumkur . . . . .																								
		Mysore . . . . .																								
		Hassan . . . . .																								
		Shimoga . . . . .																								
		Kadur . . . . .																								
		Chitaldroog . . . . .																								
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		Jeypore . . . . .	16 4	16 12	15 12	20 0	21 8	23 0	6 0	7 0	6 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	17 0	18 8	25 4	19 0	19 0	19 0	20 0	21 0	21 0	21 0		
RAJPOOTANA.		Kishengurh . . . . .	17 8	16 0	17 8	25 8	21 8	27 0	8 0	8 0	8 8	10 8	9 0	9 0	21 8	21 0	26 8	19 0	17 0	17 0	17 0	17 0	17 0	17 0		
		Kerrowlee . . . . .	16 0	16 0	16 4	18 8	18 8	21 0	12 8	12 8	11 0	13 8	13 8	12 8	19 0	19 0	20 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	16 0		
		Ulwur . . . . .	18 12	18 7	17 9	24 0	23 5	22 11	8 0	8 0	8 0	11 10	11 8	11 6	23 8	23 5	23 8	17 13	17 0	17 0	17 0	17 0	17 0	17 0		
		Bhartpore (City) . . . . .	17 7	17 7	16 8	22 13	22 13	20 8	6 12	6 12	6 8	11 4	11 4	7 0	20 11	20 11	21 0	17 11	17 11	17 11	17 11	17 11	17 11	17 11		
		Ajmere . . . . .	16 0	15 0	16 8	22 0	22 8	25 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	18 0	18 0	24 0	18 0	18 0	18 0	18 0	18 0	18 0	18 0		
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		Erinpura . . . . .	16 4	16 4	18 2	28 0	28 0	29 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	7 0	22 0	22 0	23 0	22 0	22 0	22 0	22 0	22 0	22 0	22 0		
		Sirohee . . . . .	17 8	17 0	18 0	29 0	28 0	27 0	7 0	7 0	6 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	17 0	17 0	18 0	21 0	21 0	21 0	21 0	21 0	21 0	21 0		
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		Anadra . . . . .	17 12	17 8	17 4	26 0	26 0	27 0	7 0	7 8	6 0	9 0	9 0	8 8	...	...	...	21 0	21 0	21 0	21 0	21 0	21 0	21 0		
		Hilly Tracts of Meywar . . . . .	22 0	22 0	23 0	28 0	28 0	36 0	...	...	...	18 0	18 0	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
		Meywar (Oodaspore) . . . . .	15 31	15 01	16 61	20 111	19 141	21 14	10 21	10 21	7 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
		Bánswára (Meywar Agency) . . . . .	22 8	22 8	28 12	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	7 8	18 12	18 12	17 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
		Partálgarh ( " ) . . . . .	17 6	16 11	18 2	...	...	...	10 15	10 15	7 8	12 13	13 7	12 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
		Marwar (Jodhpore) . . . . .	15 15	15 15	15 2	22 8	21 4	18 12	6 4	6 4	5 0	7 8	7 8	6 4	22 8	22 8	28 18	12 20	18 12	17 10	17 10	17 10	17 10	17 10		
		Bikaner . . . . .	11 8	12 0	...	...	...	...	3 4	3 1	...	6 12	6 8	...	...	...	...	18 0	17 10	17 10	17 10	17 10	17 10	17 10		
	Boondée . . . . .	17 0	17 0	24 0	27 0	27 0	32 0	9 8	9 0	7 8	10 0	9 8	9 0	27 0	28 4	32 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			
	Kotah . . . . .	16 12	16 8	26 4	19 4	19 4	35 0	8 12	8 12	7 12	11 12	11 0	10 0	21 8	20 44	0 16	0 16	0 16	0 16	0 16	0 16	0 16	0 16			
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	Jhallawar . . . . .	16 1	16 1	22 71	15 14	15 14	27 14	...	...	...	8 14	8 14	8 13	17 4	16 4	43 0	13 13	13 13	13 13	13 13	13 13	13 13	13 13			
	Shahpoora . . . . .	16 1	16 0	18 12	20 6	21 8	23 4	10 4	9 4	9 4	14 8	13 2	13 2	16 8	17 0	20 3	16 5	16 5	16 5	16 5	16 5	16 5	16 5			
	Dholpur . . . . .	17 9	17 5	17 0	24 3	23 15	20 8	10 2	10 2	7 14	12 6	12 6	11 13	21 10	21 8	19 12	12 15	12 15	12 15	12 15	12 15	12 15	12 15			
CENTRAL INDIA.		Indore . . . . .	15 0	14 1	18 9	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	8 0	12 0	12 0	8 9	21 5	20 38	6 20	0 20	0 20	0 20	0 20	0 20	0 20	0 20		
		Gwalior . . . . .	15 9	15 11	16 2	18 12	21 0	19 11	7 7	7 5	6 14	9 10	9 11	9 10	20 120	1 18	1 19	7 18	4 17	4 17	4 17	4 17	4 17			
		Gooná . . . . .	20 0	21 0	28 0	17 0	17 0	21 0	9 8	9 12	9 8	10 0	10 0	10 0	24 0	26 0	35 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	16 0		
		Baghelkhand (Sutna) . . . . .	21 1	21 0	22 0	32 0	32 0	32 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	18 0	18 0	18 0	32 0	32 0	0 30	0 24	0 24	0 24	0 24	0 24	0 24	0 24		

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SEERS OF 80 TOLAHS.

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SUPPLEMENT TO THE STATEMENTS OF PRICES CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS FOR THE 2nd HALF OF JUNE AND 2nd HALF OF JULY 1882, PUBLISHED IN PAGES 978, 979, 1134, 1135, 1136 AND 1137 OF THE SUPPLEMENT TO THE "GAZETTE OF INDIA," DATED 26th JULY AND 26th AUGUST 1882.

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STATEMENT OF IRRIGATION OPERATIONS OF THE RABBI CROP OF 1881-82 IN THE PUNJAB.

STATEMENT No. I.

IRRIGATION OPERATIONS OF THE RABBI CROP OF 1881-82.

*Comparative Abstract of Irrigation and Rainfall in Canal Districts of the Punjab.*

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
DISTRICTS.	Area in acres.	Cultivated area in acres.	AREA IRRIGATED.		COMPARISON WITH LAST CROP.		RAINFALL IN RABBI MONTHS.													
			Rabbi, 1881-82.	Rabbi, 1880-81.	Increase.	Decrease.	October.		November.		December.		January.		February.		March.		TOTAL.	
							1881.	1880.	1881.	1880.	1881.	1880.	1881.	1880.	1881.	1880.	1881.	1880.	1881-82.	1880-81.
Balla . . . . .	1,644,849	951,890	769	1,158	...	389	...	...	0'1	...	1'0	2'8	0'1	2'0	0'9	0'1	2'5	4'9	4'6	...
Malak . . . . .	1,533,990	680,319	33,116	24,873	8,243	...	...	...	0'1	...	0'9	2'6	...	1'9	0'3	...	1'9	4'5	3'2	...
Shak . . . . .	1,159,350	906,022	26,293	19,391	6,872	...	...	...	...	...	0'9	2'1	0'1	1'9	0'9	...	2'5	3'1	3'8	...
Shi . . . . .	804,933	525,676	21,938	8,029	13,909	...	...	...	0'4	...	1'1	0'9	...	0'7	0'4	...	2'0	1'6	3'9	...
Shar . . . . .	2,205,428	1,161,761	26,685	40,064	...	13,379	...	...	1'2	...	0'8	2'3	...	0'5	0'7	...	1'4	2'8	4'1	...
Shi . . . . .	...	...	23,448	27,771	...	4,323	0'3	...	...	...	1'1	2'6	...	0'3	...	...	0'3	3'2	1'4	...
Shi . . . . .	...	...	605	280	325	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Shi . . . . .	1,240,366	993,612	...	743	...	743	...	...	0'2	...	0'9	...	...	...	0'5	...	...	1'6	...	...
TAL W. J. CANAL . . . . .	8,648,916	5,219,180	132,824	122,309	29,349	18,834	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Shahpur . . . . .	1,168,314	856,230	12,087	15,068	...	2,981	0'3	...	0'2	...	1'46	2'98	...	1'31	2'39	0'11	2'58	4'70	6'83	...
Shahpur . . . . .	1,006,798	766,773	95,937	117,221	...	21,284	...	...	...	...	2'8	2'67	...	1'83	2'15	0'12	2'40	4'62	7'35	...
Shahpur . . . . .	2,334,552	1,164,021	153,106	149,687	...	16,581	...	...	...	...	0'8	1'70	...	1'39	1'66	...	3'28	3'00	5'74	...
TAL B. D. CANAL . . . . .	4,509,664	2,787,324	241,130	281,076	...	40,946	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Shahpur . . . . .	Given	above.	39,253	28,192	11,061	...	...	...	...	...	1'15	1'55	0'03	0'90	1'10	...	1'70	2'15	3'98	...
Shahpur . . . . .	3,567,760	387,622	101,547	46,098	55,449	...	...	...	...	...	0'30	1'50	...	1'40	0'96	...	1'90	2'60	3'10	...
Shahpur . . . . .	3,763,200	799,360	146,505	137,374	9,131	...	...	...	...	...	0'5	0'40	...	0'20	0'20	...	1'00	0'60	1'70	...
Shahpur . . . . .	2,801,280	1,008,000	62,020	43,311	18,710	...	...	...	...	...	0'3	0'05	...	0'60	0'30	...	0'85	1'45	...	...
Shahpur . . . . .	3,002,432	524,988	4,385	3,429	957	...	1'1	...	0'2	...	0'6	1'40	...	...	...	...	1'80	2'60	2'60	...
Shahpur . . . . .	2,007,819	397,520	*114,248	96,352	23,896	...	...	...	...	...	0'2	0'15	...	0'20	1'10	0'10	0'80	0'45	2'10	...
TOTAL INUNDATION CANALS . . . . .	15,142,481	3,087,499	467,956	348,756	119,204	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
GRAND TOTAL . . . . .	29,301,061	11,094,603	841,912	753,041	148,553	59,080	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

Area irrigated 1881-82 ... *Acres.* 841,912  
Ditto 1880-81 ... 753,041  
Net Increase ... 88,871

\* Of the 114,248 acres irrigated in the Mozaffargarh District, 21,070 acres are on account of Dofasli land which, if deducted, leave the actual area as 93,178.

STATEMENT No. II.

IRRIGATION OPERATIONS OF THE RABBI CROP OF 1881-82.

*Statement in Acres of Crops irrigated in Canal Districts.*

DESCRIPTION OF CROPS.	Umballa.	Karnal.	Rohtak.	Delhi.	Hissar.	Jind.	Bikaner.	Gurgaon.	Amritsar.	Lahore.	Montgomery.	Mooltan.	Dera Ghazi Khan.	Shahpur.	Gurgaon.	Muzaffargarh.	TOTAL.
Wheat . . . . .	332	25,244	21,819	17,767	19,423	17,447	801	8,183	68,873	129,613	65,164	104,935	57,731	3,426	...	66,562	606,825
Barley . . . . .	14	704	63	...	495	455	76	405	2,151	8,485	2,713	2,625	28	111	...	1,488	14,811
Grain . . . . .	57	1,688	1,854	819	2,729	4,156	73	519	2,191	8,971	9,219	...	2,235	116	...	16,078	50,704
Other . . . . .	366	5,480	2,527	3,352	4,038	1,390	155	2,976	22,722	30,292	24,451	38,945	2,026	732	...	30,120	169,572
TOTAL RABBI, 1881-82 . . . . .	769	33,116	26,263	21,938	26,685	23,448	605	12,087	95,937	172,359	101,547	146,505	62,020	4,385	...	114,248	841,912
TOTAL RABBI, 1880-81 . . . . .	1,158	24,873	19,391	8,029	40,064	27,771	280	15,068	117,221	177,579	46,098	137,374	43,311	3,429	743	90,352	753,041

STATEMENT No. III.

IRRIGATION OPERATIONS OF THE RABBI CROP OF 1881-82.

*Statement in Acres of Crops irrigated in Canal Divisions.*

DESCRIPTION OF CROPS.	WESTERN JUMNA CANAL.				BARI DOAB CANAL.			Upper Sutlej Division Inundation Canals.	Lower Sutlej and Chenab Division Inundation Canals.	Dera Ghazi Khan Division Indus Canals.	Shahpur Canals.	Muzaffargarh/Canals Division.	TOTAL.
	Karnal Division.	Hansi Division.	Delhi Division.	TOTAL.	1st Division.	2nd Division.	TOTAL.						
Wheat . . . . .	6,202	51,520	44,611	102,333	35,235	143,505	178,740	98,098	104,935	57,731	3,426	66,562	606,825
Barley . . . . .	459	1,348	...	1,807	630	4,985	5,615	3,237	2,625	28	111	1,488	14,811
Grain . . . . .	66	8,989	2,321	11,376	1,013	5,342	6,355	14,544	...	2,235	116	16,078	50,704
Other . . . . .	2,303	7,021	7,984	17,308	9,017	41,503	50,520	29,921	38,945	2,026	732	30,120	169,572
TOTAL RABBI, 1881-82 . . . . .	9,030	68,878	54,916	132,824	45,795	195,335	241,130	140,800	146,505	62,020	4,385	114,248	841,912
TOTAL RABBI, 1880-81 . . . . .	5,158	85,046	32,110	122,309	52,164	229,812	281,976	74,200	137,374	43,311	3,429	90,352	753,041

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.  
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.  
RAILWAY TRAFFIC.

No. XXXI OF 1882.

APPROXIMATE STATEMENT OF GROSS RECEIPTS AND EXPENSES OF INDIAN RAILWAYS.

Latest return received.	Railways.	Total mean length open.	RECEIPTS FOR WEEK ENDING 6TH AUGUST 1881.		Total mean length open.	RECEIPTS FOR WEEK ENDING 6TH AUGUST 1882.		TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1ST APRIL TO 6TH AUGUST 1881.		TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1ST APRIL TO 6TH AUGUST 1882.		Total Increase in 1882-83.	Total Decrease in 1882-83.
			Total.	Per mile open.		Total.	Per mile open.	Total.	Per mile open per week.	Total.	Per mile open per week.		
	<i>Guaranteed.</i>		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
12th Aug. 1882	Eastern Bengal ...	172	1,35,256	786	172	1,16,366	676	13,40,087	421	14,03,550	450	63,463	...
12th ditto ...	Oudh and Rohilkhand	547	60,989	111	547	77,082	141	17,37,677	174	18,47,735	186	1,10,058	...
12th ditto ...	Sind, Punjab and Delhi	676	1,29,433	191	676	1,56,541	232	30,97,026	251	34,57,625	282	3,60,599	...
12th ditto ...	Madras ...	858	1,09,568	128	858	1,28,877	150	22,94,413	146	25,21,757	162	2,27,344	...
5th ditto ...	South Indian ...	655	65,078	99	655	60,228	92	13,92,492	116	13,77,918	116	...	14,574
12th ditto ...	Great Indian Peninsula	1,439	3,78,537	263	1,450	4,28,325	295	1,18,87,304	449	1,26,90,982	482	8,03,678	...
5th ditto ...	Bombay, Baroda and Central India	444	72,185	163	461	1,02,059	221	39,24,777	484	39,45,637	472	20,860	...
	<b>TOTAL</b> ...	4,791	9,51,046	198	4,819	10,69,478	222	2,56,73,776	293	2,72,45,204	311	15,71,428	...
	<i>State.</i>												
12th ditto ...	East Indian ...	1,504	6,21,175	413	1,507	8,64,996	574	1,44,96,026	526	1,58,37,845	579	13,41,819	...
12th ditto ...	Calcutta and South-Eastern	28	1,938	69	33	2,740	83	55,774	109	72,981	134	17,207	...
12th ditto ...	Nalhati ...	27	972	36	27	1,172	43	22,222	45	24,087	49	1,865	...
12th ditto ...	Northern Bengal	233	29,663	127	230	35,510	154	5,38,351	127	6,50,613	155	1,12,262	...
12th ditto ...	Tirhoot ...	76	8,166	107	75	11,049	147	2,09,811	143	2,23,696	147	13,885	...
12th ditto ...	Patna-Gya	57	6,178	108	57	6,079	107	1,54,371	148	1,60,058	155	5,687	...
12th ditto ...	Muttra-Hathras	29	2,949	102	29	1,670	58	45,838	86	38,891	74	...	6,941
12th ditto ...	Cawnpore-Furrakhabad	86	3,838	45	87	5,169	59	93,015	59	1,16,767	74	23,752	...
12th ditto ...	Dildarnagar-Ghazipur	12	471	39	12	577	48	15,721	71	17,620	81	1,899	...
12th ditto ...	Rajputana-Malwa	1,016	1,00,479	99	1,117	1,29,471	116	30,39,299	164	36,60,152	181	6,20,853	...
12th ditto ...	Wardha Coal	45	8,428	187	45	1,368	30	1,79,125	218	1,86,528	228	7,403	...
12th ditto ...	Nagpur and Chhattisgarh	53	2,455	46	98	3,277	33	1,09,599	98	2,28,524	129	1,18,925	...
5th ditto ...	Rangoon and Irrawaddy Valley	161	14,801	92	161	17,265	107	5,18,488	176	5,21,922	178	3,434	...
12th ditto ...	Sindia	75	4,647	62	75	3,641	49	1,05,091	76	1,12,622	83	7,531	...
12th ditto ...	Punjab Northern	363	50,978	140	412	37,528	91	10,18,196	153	10,36,106	142	17,910	...
12th ditto ...	Indus Valley and Kandahar	660	49,388	75	660	60,471	92	15,69,652	130	16,05,238	134	35,586	...
12th ditto ...	Muttra-Achneyra	...	...	...	23	1,028	45	...	...	21,709	52	21,709	...
	<b>TOTAL</b> ...	2,921	2,85,351	98	3,141	3,18,015	101	76,74,553	143	86,77,514	153	10,02,961	...
	<i>Native States.</i>												
5th ditto ...	Bhavnagar-Gondal	191	2,600	14	194	10,371	53	2,99,657	96	3,73,115	106	73,458	...
5th ditto ...	Nizam's	121	13,647	113	121	15,188	126	2,98,608	135	3,01,460	137	2,852	...
5th ditto ...	Mysore	58	1,780	31	86	5,112	59	51,738	49	92,426	59	40,688	...
	<b>TOTAL</b> ...	370	18,027	49	401	30,671	76	6,50,003	101	7,67,001	106	1,16,998	...
	<b>GRAND TOTAL</b> ...	9,586	18,75,599	196	9,868	22,83,160	231	4,84,94,358	276	5,25,27,564	293	40,33,206	...
	<b>GROSS ESTIMATED EXPENSES</b> ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,34,09,359	134	2,54,47,179	142	...	...
	<b>NET RECEIPTS</b> ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,50,84,999	142	2,70,80,385	151	19,95,386	...



GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.  
HOME DEPARTMENT.

MEASURES TO PREVENT FREQUENT CHANGES IN THE PERSONNEL OF THE  
ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF OF A PROVINCE.

Nos. <sup>33</sup> 1343-1354.

*Extract from the Proceedings of the Government of India in the Home Department  
(Public),—under date Simla, the 7th September 1882.*

Read the undermentioned papers :—

Home Department Circular Nos. 43-1424-1432, dated 20th September 1881.
Letter from the Government of Madras, No. 1536, dated 15th November 1881.
„ „ „ Bombay, No. 783, dated 3rd February 1882.
„ „ „ Bengal, No. 529A., dated 6th February 1882.
„ „ „ North-Western Provinces and Oudh, No. 1348, dated 17th April 1882.
„ „ „ Punjab, No. 1077, dated 12th May 1882.
„ „ Chief Commissioner, Central Provinces, No. 4626-294, dated 23rd December 1881.
„ „ „ British Burma, No. 296N., dated 26th October 1881.
„ „ „ Assam, No. 3187, dated 28th November 1881.
„ „ Resident at Hyderabad, No. 27, dated 18th January 1882.

RESOLUTION.

In consequence of representations made to the Government of India that the change in the furlough rules effected in 1868, whereby officers absent on leave retain a lien on their appointments, had resulted in a largely increased number of acting appointments and in frequent changes in the *personnel* of the administrative staff to the detriment of public interests, a circular was issued on the 30th September 1881, asking Local Governments and Administrations to report whether any practical inconvenience had been felt owing to the operation of the rule; and, if so, to state the remedies which might seem to them expedient to secure the effectual removal of such inconvenience.

2. From the replies which have now been received, the Governor General in Council is glad to find that nearly all the local authorities are of opinion that the supposed effect of the rule in question has been much exaggerated and misunderstood, and that the provincial statistics when carefully analysed do not justify the withdrawal of the concession whereby an officer on furlough retains a lien on his substantive appointment or on a substantive appointment of like character and not less pay.

3. At the same time there can be no doubt that in some provinces changes among the administrative, and especially among the district staff, have been more frequent than is at all desirable; and the Governor General in Council is of opinion that something should be done to check this tendency, where it exists, partly by amendment of the rules in some points of minor detail, and partly by the adoption in all Local Administrations of a settled line of policy in working the rules.

4. In the first place the enquiries recently instituted have made it clear that when unduly frequent changes in the *personnel* of the administrative staff occur, they are often not so much the effect of the existing rules as of the manner in which they are worked. Local Governments are sometimes too ready to defer to the personal wishes and inclinations of officers returning from leave; but unless they insist firmly on the principle that an officer must accept whatever appointment suitable to his rank and position in the service may chance to be available on his return, unnecessary changes take place, the public service suffers, and the convenience of other officers, more or less numerous, is sacrificed to meet the wishes of one favoured individual. The Government of India consider it undesirable that frequent transfers among district officers should take place when these can be avoided; and, while fully admitting that it is quite possible to keep an officer too long in charge of the same district, they are of opinion that the local knowledge which a district

officer is expected to possess cannot be acquired unless he remains for a reasonable period in the same appointment. His Excellency in Council is inclined to hold that it would be a distinct advantage to the public service to keep a Magistrate-Collector as a rule for five years in the same district, and that, on the other hand, after a six or seven years' incumbency a change is desirable both for the sake of the officer himself and of the district administration. It should, therefore, be understood that, unless some special circumstances render it desirable to replace an acting officer by a returning incumbent, an officer in the regular line on return from furlough should be posted to such actually vacant office as may happen to be suited to his rank and pay; and, in determining his disposal, the *only* consideration which should be allowed to weigh is the question how his services can best be utilised with the least possible disturbance of existing arrangements.

5. The Governor General in Council considers further that if measures were taken to regulate the times of return of officers from furlough so as to make these coincide better with the times of proceeding on furlough, the principal ground of dissatisfaction with the rules, from an administrative point of view, would disappear. The Local Government should have more power than it at present exercises to regulate the time of an officer's return with reference to the convenience of the public service. It ought, for instance, to be at liberty for this reason to require an officer to take less or (when to his credit) more leave than he applies for (within reasonable limits), on penalty of his forfeiting his lien upon his appointment if he declines to accept the arrangement: thus, if an officer applies for twelve months' furlough, and the Local Government is aware that it will have difficulty in providing him with a suitable appointment on the expiry of that term owing to the simultaneous return of senior men or for other reasons, it should require him to return either after, say, ten months, or fourteen months, as may best suit the requirements of the public service. At present the Government grants, as a matter of course, the precise amount of furlough asked for. It ought to have at least the same discretion in settling the leave-arrangements of its officers that a mercantile firm would exercise in granting leave of absence to its *employés*. Effect may be given to this suggestion from the 1st April 1883.

6. As the rules stand at present a Covenanted Civil Servant is only allowed to take his first furlough after eight years' residence in the country. It appears to the Government of India desirable, both in the interests of the public service and as a concession to its junior officers, that this period should be reduced, and that the first furlough should be admissible after five years' residence. It is for the public advantage that some portion of the furlough that may be earned during a civilian's term of engagement should be taken at the time when his services are of least value. A change in the furlough rules to the effect suggested will be recommended to Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India.

7. It has been brought to the notice of the Government of India that occasionally improper advantage can be taken of the rule as to lien on appointment, by officers who have much furlough to their credit and can easily procure medical certificates. The Governor General in Council thinks it would be a fair rule to lay down that if an officer within two years of his return from furlough again takes furlough on medical certificate he should not retain any lien on his appointment. A change in the furlough rules to this effect will also be recommended to Her Majesty's Government.

8. The points mentioned in paragraphs 6 and 7 are the only matters in regard to which the Governor General in Council thinks any alteration of the present rules to be necessary.

ORDER.—Ordered, that a copy of this Resolution be communicated to Local Governments and Administrations for information and guidance, and that a copy be communicated to the Department of Finance for information and with a view to the necessary reference being made to the Secretary of State on the points mentioned in paragraphs 6 and 7 of the Resolution.

Ordered also, that this Resolution be published in the Supplement to the *Gazette of India*.

A. MACKENZIE,  
*Secretary to the Government of India.*



## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

## REVENUE AND AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

## REPORTS ON THE STATE OF THE SEASON AND PROSPECTS OF THE CROPS FOR THE WEEK ENDING THE 5th SEPTEMBER 1882.

GENERAL REMARKS.—Good rain has fallen throughout the Madras Presidency; prospects of standing crops are good, and harvesting has commenced in a few places. In Coorg the monsoon has set in again; rice and *ragi* crops are doing well. In the Mysore State, in the Nizam's Territories, and the Berars there has been light rain, except in Hyderabad where it has been heavier; standing crops are in good condition and prospects are favourable. In the Bombay Presidency good rain has fallen in all districts except Guzerat, and has been beneficial to standing crops; parts of the Guzerat division are in need of more rain; locusts are reported from a few places. In the Central Provinces the *kharif* crops have benefited by the recent break in the rains and are promising well; weeding operations are in progress, and occasional showers are occurring.

In Central India and Rajputana rain has been reported from every State, except Sirohi, Jeypore, and the British district of Ajmere, and prospects are favourable everywhere except in Sirohi. Rain has also been general throughout the Punjab, except in Hissar and Peshawar. The North-Western Provinces and Oudh have had more or less good rain in all districts; early crops are being cut, and prospects of all other crops are good; more rain is now wanted in part of Lucknow only. In Bengal rain in varying quantities has fallen in all districts; prospects of the winter rice crops have improved, *jute* and sugarcane are in satisfactory condition, and the autumn harvest is progressing, with promise of a fair average outturn; a little more rain would help the transplanting of the winter rice crop in some places. In Assam the transplantation of the winter and the reaping of the early autumn crops are progressing; rain has been general; tea and sugarcane are doing well.

In British Burma good rain has fallen everywhere except in two districts, where it has been light; agricultural operations are on the whole progressing satisfactorily, except in parts of Prome and Tharra-waddy.

The general fall in the barometer noticed last week was succeeded by a rise which, beginning in Western India, spread over all parts of the country, and was again followed by a steady fall all over India.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week preceding.	State of agricultural prospects.
<b>Madras—(Sept. 7th)</b>		
Bellary ...	4.18 (average of eight stations).	Standing crops generally good, dry partially withering in one taluk; agricultural operations progressing.
Kurnool ...	2.40 (average of eight stations).	Standing crops generally good; cattle-disease in parts.
Ganjam ...	1.14 (average of thirteen stations).	Standing crops thriving generally; harvest gingelly, outturn poor; fever, small-pox, and cattle-disease continue; cholera slight.
Kistna ...	1.56 (average of thirteen stations).	Standing crops recovering, but slightly afflicted by insects in parts; harvest gingelly, yield below average; agricultural operations progressing; small-pox slight and cattle-disease general.
Chingleput (Madras) ...	1.86 (average of eleven stations).	Standing crops good where water available; agricultural operations progressing.
Coimbatore ...	1.40 (average of fifteen stations).	Standing crops paddy promise well, though <i>cholum</i> damaged by insects in one taluk; harvest dry crops, outturn average; fever, small-pox, cholera, and cattle-disease in parts.
Tanjore ...	2.61 (average of thirteen stations).	Crops generally good; harvest dry crops, yield below average.
Madura ...	1.57 (average of ten stations).	Standing crops fair; harvest paddy, yield average; cholera in parts.
Malabar ...	1.86 (average of fourteen stations).	Harvesting first crop commenced; fever, small-pox, and cholera in parts.
Travancore ...	2.64	Harvest progressing; fever slightly prevalent.
<b>Bombay—(Sept. 6th)</b>		
Kurrachee ...	Dadu, 1.23; Keti, .53; Sehwan, .34; Thana Bula Khan, .90; Kotri, .35; Mirpur Batoro, .05.	River at Kotri on 4th 16 feet 11 inches, same as last year; crops damaged by excess of water; <i>keon</i> worm doing some damage in Manjhand and rats in Mirpur Batoro and Jati talukas; small-pox in two talukas; fever and cold in six talukas; wheat, red rice, and <i>bajri</i> in Kurrachee 22, 34 and 32, in Manjhand 24, 36 and 46, in Tatta 23, 32 and 42, and in Shahbandar 20, 48 and 40 lbs. per rupee, respectively.
Hyderabad ...	Rain in nine talukas; average fall, 1.12.	River falling; fever in seven talukas; small-pox in Hyderabad; wheat 25, <i>juari</i> 45, <i>bajri</i> 41, red rice 30, and white rice 22 lbs. per rupee.
Ahmedabad ...	1.16	Total rainfall 28.97; crops doing well, but more rain urgently wanted; wheat 28 and <i>bajri</i> 32 lbs. per rupee.
Baroda ...	1.30	Total rainfall 32.58; cholera at Sidhpur and near Amreli; <i>bajri</i> 33 and common rice 24 lbs. per rupee.
Surat ...	.80	Total rainfall 33.94; rain wanted for rice and <i>bajri</i> ; other crops healthy; <i>juari</i> 39 lbs. and <i>nagli</i> 53 lbs. per rupee.
Nasik ...	Excellent rain in all talukas; maximum in Yeola, 5.45.	Locusts in Nandgaon, Malegaon, Baghlan, and parts of Chandore destroying crops; slight cholera in Nasik, Sinnar, Yeola, and Baghlan talukas; wheat 28½, <i>bajri</i> 38, and rice 28 lbs. per rupee.
Colaba (Bombay) ...	Rain every day, heavy on 2nd and 5th; total of week, 4.53.	Total rainfall to date 62.18, being 12.9 above average; abnormal temperature fell from 1° warm on 30th to 3° cool on 3rd and then rose to 1° cool on 5th; vapour in air slightly in excess of normal, abnormal wind changed gradually from north-east on 30th to east-south-east on 2nd, was from east on 3rd, and from due north on 5th; wind normal on 4th; thunder and lightning on 4th and distant lightning on 5th.

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week preceding.	State of agricultural prospects.
<b>Bombay—contd.</b>		
Poona ...	Rain in three eastern talukas—maximum at Indapur, 6·0; minimum at Bhimthari, 1·65; slight showers in other talukas.	Three cholera cases in Sirur taluka, 2 deaths; <i>bajri</i> 47 and <i>juari</i> 59 lbs. per rupee, in Poona <i>bajri</i> 39 and <i>juari</i> 50 lbs. per rupee.
Ahmednagar ...	Maximum at Karjat, 12·09; minimum at Kopergaon, 1·85.	Total average rainfall of the district 15·94; rainfall has been beneficial to <i>kharif</i> crops; cholera—4 attacks and 2 deaths in Parner, 6 attacks and 2 deaths in Jhamkhed, in Sheogaon no fresh attacks, 1 death; small insects like grasshoppers are reported to be doing damage to the <i>bajri</i> crop in Kopergaon and Rahuri by eating the leaves and heads of the <i>bajri</i> plants; <i>bajri</i> —maximum 66 lbs. in Jhamkhed, minimum 48 in Kopergaon; <i>juari</i> —maximum 96 lbs. in Jhamkhed, minimum 60 in Kopergaon.
Sholapur ...	6·99	Total rainfall 28·11; cholera cases 38, of which 13 were fatal; rain throughout, good for <i>kharif</i> crops; <i>bajri</i> 59 lbs. 6 tolas and <i>juari</i> 80 lbs. 6 tolas per rupee.
Dharwar ...	Rain at all stations—maximum at Hangal, 5·10; minimum at Kalghatgi, 1·60.	The rain has done good to standing crops; cotton sowing still in progress in eight talukas, but retarded in Gadag taluka owing to want of break in Karajgi; ground is being prepared for cotton and other late crops; ague in two and cattle-disease in one taluka; public health good; prices stationary.
Kanara ...	Karwar, 9·92; Kump-ta, 3·98; Hallial, 3·65; Sirsi, 1·91.	Total rainfall 97·00; rice crops in ear in two talukas; sugarcane and garden produce thriving; fever partial; general health good; common rice in Karwar 11 seers, in district average 13½ seers per rupee.
Rajkot ...	58	Total rainfall 15·83; weather hot and cloudy; cholera subsiding in Rajkot town and station; crops thriving; <i>bajri</i> 28 and <i>juari</i> 32 lbs. per rupee. <i>General Remarks.</i> —Good rain has fallen, except in Guzerat districts where it is much wanted; locusts in Násik and Khandesh; fever and cattle-disease in some districts; cholera abating.
<b>Bengal—(Sept. 6th)</b>		
Chittagong ...	4·04	More rain wanted in some parts for winter crop; prospects fair; prices somewhat high; cholera and cattle-disease still reported.
Dacca ...	0·75	Prospects of crops good; cholera prevalent.
24-Pergunnahs (Calcutta) ...	2·06	Prospects of early rice, jute, and sugarcane continue satisfactory; transplanting of <i>amun</i> paddy proceeding; more rain wanted; prices of common rice stationary; public health generally good; rivers rising.
Moorshedabad ...	28	Transplanting of <i>amun</i> proceeding; rain still generally wanted in Tandhi sub-division; health of people generally good.
Rajshahye ...	3·40	More rain required; <i>aus</i> rice and <i>kaon</i> being cut, outturn not very good; jute fair; fever prevalent.
Burdwan ...	Cutwa, 2·31; Rani-ganj, 1·31.	More rain wanted throughout district; prospects of <i>aus</i> and sugarcane good; health generally good.
Rungpore ...	13·23	Prospects of standing crops good; transplanting winter rice progressing; early rice and jute being reaped; public health good.
Bhagálpur ...	3·56	Rain very beneficial; prospects good; outturn autumn harvest good; winter rice still being transplanted; public health good.
Purneah ...	2·43	Late rice poor on high lands and not yet all transplanted; outturn early rice poor; fever prevalent; rivers high.
Patna ...	1·81	More rain wanted in south for transplanting winter rice; <i>bhadoi</i> crops promising and are being reaped in some parts; cholera reported from Behar.
Durbhunga ...	11·15	Crop prospects fair; prices stationary; health fair.
Hazáribágh ...	8·85	Weather sultry; <i>bhadoi</i> crops doing well; rain wanted for transplanting rice crop in some parts; health generally good.
Cuttack ...	3·42	Early rice being reaped, good crop; late rice promises well; cholera again reported.
<i>General Remarks.</i> —Rain fell in all districts during the week; prospects of winter rice crop improved, but more rain wanted in some places, particularly in Burdwan and Presidency divisions; transplantation which was delayed for want of sufficient rain is still proceeding in several places; autumn harvest progressing; general prospects of fair average outturn, though in some places injured by want of sufficient rain; fever prevalent in some districts; cholera and cattle-disease exist in some districts, former severe in Chumparun and latter in Hooghly.		
<b>N. W. Provinces and Oudh—</b>		
Benares (Sept. 5th) ...	40; Chandauli, 1·90	Prospects favourable; health of men and cattle good; no more cases of cholera reported; prices slightly falling; bazars well supplied.
Allahabad ( „ 6th) ...	Rain during week in all tahsils except Soraoon, abundant in Sirathu and Handia.	Weather is now fine and favourable for the crops; health good, very slight cholera; rice fallen considerably; other prices steady.
Gorakhpur ( „ 5th) ...	Abundant rain throughout the district.	Fine weather wanted to ripen the crops; cattle-disease in two tahsils, also some cholera; prices falling.



Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week preceding.	State of agricultural prospects.
<b>N. W. Provinces and Oudh—contd.</b>		
Jhānsi (Sept. 4th)	Average rainfall 2'0; more or less rain almost every day.	<i>Kharif</i> prospects very good; <i>tili</i> and cotton in flower; harvesting of minor grains— <i>kamin</i> , <i>sama</i> , &c.—commenced; <i>rabi</i> lands being ploughed; supplies abundant; prices stationary; 65 deaths from cholera during the week, except in Bhadarwara; no fresh cholera cases for last two days; cattle-disease of a mild nature in Jhānsi.
Agra ( „ 5th)	Rain in four parganas, from 10 to 30.	<i>Bajri</i> cutting commenced; slight fever continues, but general health good; prices stationary.
Bareilly ( „ „)	Rainfall of 28th and 29th ultimo, 9'0.	Clear and fine weather now required for rice harvest; crops excellent; cholera still about, chiefly in rural parts.
Meerut ( „ „)	Occasional rain	Weather seasonable; crops flourishing; health good; supplies sufficient; prices falling.
Kumaun ( „ „)	Rainfall of 29th and 30th ultimo, 9'0.	Fine weather now; crops excellent; <i>jhangra</i> and rice being cut in some places; cattle-disease continues; health good; prices stationary.
Lucknow ( „ „)	Sadr, 4'10; Maliabad, 5'10; Mohanlalganj, 2'40.	The rains have done good generally to the <i>kharif</i> crops; prospects good; more rain wanted in tahsil Mohanlalganj; prices steady; cholera has decreased considerably.
Partabgarh ( „ „)	Rain fallen in three tahsils.	Crops looking well everywhere; <i>kudri dhan</i> , <i>makra</i> , and <i>kakoon</i> being cut; slight cattle-disease prevalent; cholera has almost ceased.
Sitapur ( „ „)	Average rainfall 6'30	<i>Jarhan</i> in <i>ganjar</i> land promises to be very fine; other rice being cut; sugarcane, <i>mash</i> , and crops in general doing well; cholera in three tahsils.
Fyzabad ( „ „)	Sadr, 6'30; Akbarpur, 1'20; Bikapur, 5'00; Tanda, 2'00.	Prospects good; slight cholera in tahsil Fyzabad.
Rae Bareli ( „ „)	General rain	Rain favourable for crops; <i>sawan</i> , <i>kakoon</i> , and <i>makra</i> being cut; cholera still in two tahsils; cattle-disease in some villages of tahsil Dalman; prices almost stationary.
Cawnpore ( „ „)	Average rainfall over 1'80.	Weather now clear; prospects excellent; cholera declining; prices nearly stationary.
Farukhabad ( „ „)	General rain during week.	Prospects favourable; prices steady; no sickness, except slight fever.
<b>Punjab—(Sept. 6th)</b>		
Delhi ...	1'5	Health fair; prices falling.
Hissar ...	No rain	Rain fell elsewhere in the division; health good; prices stationary.
Umballa ...	4'30	Health fair; prices of food-grains gradually falling.
Jullundur ...	3'40	Prices falling; health good.
Amritsar ...	4'30	Health good; prices falling.
Sialkot ...	6'0	Health good; prices falling.
Lahore ...	3'70	Health good; prices stationary.
Ferozepore ...	3'40 at Sadr	Health of district and state of crops good; prices falling.
Mooltan ...	Drizzling rain at Sadr	Crop prospects good; prices stationary; fever prevalent.
Rawalpindi ...	2'40	Slight fever in some parts of the district; prices stationary.
Dera Ismail Khan ...	3'10	Fever abating; prices steady.
Peshawar ...	No rain	Health good; prices stationary.
<b>General Remarks.</b> —Rain has been general throughout the province, except in Hissar and in the Peshawar district; the health of the province is generally good, except slight fever in two or three districts; prices of food-grains are falling in the Delhi, Umballa, Jullundur, Amritsar, Sialkot, and Ferozepore districts, in the other districts they are stationary.		
<b>Central Provinces—</b>		
Nagpur (Sept. 6th)	1'60	Weather cloudy; prospects of crops good; cholera reported; prices steady.
Jubbulpore ( „ 5th)	2'26	Weather cloudy and seasonable; weeding continues; prospects fair; cholera and small-pox continue; prices unchanged.
Saugor ( „ 4th)	1'96	Crops progressing favourably; public health good; prices steady.
Seoni ( „ 5th)	3'15	Weather sultry and close; weeding and ploughing progressing; <i>kharif</i> promises well; cholera reported; prices steady.
Khandwa ( „ „)	4'60	Weather cloudy and close; crops benefited by heavy rain; few cases of small-pox and cholera; wheat 16 seers per rupee.
Hoshangabad ( „ „)	4'42	Weather unusually hot; <i>kharif</i> fair; health good; wheat 15 seers per rupee.
Raipur ...	1'75	Weather warm and close; more rain wanted; crops promising; weeding in progress; few cases of cattle-disease and cholera; prices unchanged; rice 40 seers per rupee.
Sambalpur (Aug. 31st)	0'02	Crops benefited by break; fever still prevalent; rice 56 seers per rupee.
<b>General Remarks.</b> —Weather cloudy and close, with occasional showers; recent break beneficial to <i>kharif</i> crops, which promise well; weeding operations continue; cholera still reported from most districts; prices stationary.		

Presidency or Province and District.	Rainfall for week preceding.	State of agricultural prospects.
<b>British Burma— (Sept. 2nd)</b>		
Akyab ...	3.81	Total rainfall 175.22 inches; 4 deaths from cholera in towns, disease prevalent in five townships; 12 deaths from small-pox in one township and 7 deaths from cattle-disease in another.
Rangoon ...	4.65	Total rainfall 65.96 inches; public health good; crops progressing.
Bassein ...	2.85	Total rainfall 93.82 inches; public health good; 38 deaths from cattle-disease in one township and 9 in another; ploughing and transplanting still going on.
Prome ...	0.66	Total rainfall 32.54 inches; 21 deaths from cholera in one township, none in town; a few cases here and there in district; slight cattle-disease in one township; reports from outstations state that over two-thirds of the usual area has been planted out; more rain is required.
Amherst (Moulmein) ...	2.53	Total rainfall 158.86 inches; public health good both in Moulmein and district; cattle-disease still prevalent in four townships; re-sowing still going on; transplanting nearly completed.
Toungoo ...	2.47	Total rainfall 69.50; public health good. <i>General Remarks.</i> —Cholera in Akyab and Prome, and a very few scattered cases elsewhere; small-pox in Akyab, otherwise public health good; cattle-disease continues somewhat prevalent; cultivation to some extent checked in parts of Prome and Tharrawaddy by want of rain; agricultural operations generally going on well.
<b>Assam (Sept. 6th)</b>		
Gauhati ...	.17	Weather seasonable; transplanting of <i>sali</i> paddy in progress; public health good.
Sylhet ...	5.14	<i>Aus</i> paddy reaped, outturn not yet estimated; <i>sali</i> already transplanted; <i>amun</i> , sugarcane, and tea doing well; public health good.
Cachar ...	2.95	Weather warm; transplanting of <i>sali</i> and reaping of <i>dumahi</i> and <i>murali</i> crops continues; tea doing well; common rice 21 <sup>5</sup> / <sub>16</sub> seers per rupee; no more cholera reported.
Dibrugarh ...	9.09	Weather seasonable; transplanting of <i>sali</i> paddy nearly finished; cattle-disease still reported; public health good.
<b>Mysore and Coorg— (Sept. 6th)</b>		
Bangalore ...	.77	Dry crops thriving, wet cultivation improving owing to tanks having received supplies of water; prospects favourable.
Mysore ...	1.02	Crops in good condition; prospects fair.
Mercara ...	6.39	Monsoon has set in again; rice and <i>ragi</i> crops doing well. <i>General Remarks.</i> —Rain continues to fall throughout the Mysore State—in Tumkur 2.29, in Hassan 2.52, Shimoga 3.30, Kadir 4.3; crops in good condition; prospects favourable; prices compare favourably—in Bangalore <i>ragi</i> 26 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> , horse-grain 40 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> , in Mysore <i>ragi</i> 25 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> , horse-grain 30 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> , in Shimoga <i>ragi</i> 19 to 39, gram 25 to 40 seers per rupee.
<b>Berar &amp; Hyderabad— (Sept. 6th)</b>		
Amráoti ...	.56	Crops in good condition; wheat 16 and <i>juari</i> 28 seers per rupee.
Akola ...	1.25	Prospects of crops favourable.
Hyderabad ...	5.78	Total rainfall from 1st January 22.89 inches; tanks have received considerable quantity of water, and standing crops much benefited; cattle-disease prevails in one taluk; prices—wheat 16 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> , coarse rice 10 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> , white <i>juari</i> 26, yellow <i>juari</i> 30 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> , and <i>tur</i> 26 seers per current sicca rupee.
<b>Central India States— (Sept. 6th)</b>		
Indore ...	2.83; heavy intermediate showers daily.	Weather sultry; health good; prices are steady and prospects generally favourable.
Morar (Gwalior) ...	.75	Health good; prospects good.
Sutna ...	.71	Prospects good.
Neemuch ...	.90	Public health good; weather seasonable.
Goona ...	2.85	Crops good; fever prevalent in district.
Bhopal (Sohore) ...	4.25	Weather hot and raining alternately; prospects good; cholera lingers at Bhopal.
Agar ...	.50	A few cases of cholera at Agar; agricultural prospects good.
Nowgong ...	2.75	Weather seasonable; <i>khayif</i> prospects good; cholera prevalent in the cantonment, otherwise health good; prices stationary.
Manpur ...	2.10	<i>Makka</i> and <i>juar</i> crops doing well; ploughing continues; health good.
<b>Rajputana—</b>		
Abu (Sept. 6th) ...	1.09	Weather occasionally clear and cloudy and rather sultry.
Sirohi ( „ 3rd) ...	.....	Tanks, wells, and health good; prospects bad; rain much needed.
Matwar ( „ 1st) ...	1.20	Four months water in tanks; health good; crops in good condition; cloudy nights, clear and cool, dry, warm, and close; prices falling.



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<b>Rajputana—contd.</b>		
Meywar (Sept. 2nd)	12	Tanks and wells fair; prospects very good; more rain wanted. Weather fine; prospects favourable; health good; prices steady.
Harowti ( " " )	Deoli, '97; Tonk, 1·29 previous week; Kotah, 6·35; Shah-pura, 1·92.	
Jhallawar (Aug. 30th)	2·09	Health and prospects good.
Ajmere (Sept. 5th)	.....	No rain; health good; slight fever in Marwar; prospects excellent.
Jeypore ( " " )	<i>Nil</i>	Prospects favourable; average daily deaths from cholera in city two.
Ulwur ( " " )	Rain in five tashils, average '05.	Prospects good; health fair.
<b>Nepal—</b>		
Katmandu ( " " )	.....	No report received.

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*Extract from the Proceedings of the Government of India, in the Revenue and Agricultural Department (Exhibitions),—dated Simla, the 2nd September 1882.*

Read—

Prospectus of the Boston International Exhibition of 1884.

## RESOLUTION.

An International Exhibition of the arts and industries of all nations is proposed to be held at Boston, the capital of New England, America, commencing about April 15th, 1884. The Government of India is not in a position to take any active part in the Exhibition, but will afford all information and facilities in its power to exhibitors who may wish to send their articles to it. With this object it has appointed Babu Trailokya Nath Mukharji, the officer in charge of work connected with Exhibitions, Department of Revenue and Agriculture, Calcutta, to receive any communication on the subject from intending exhibitors.

ORDER.—Ordered, that the above Resolution, with the Prospectus of the Boston International Exhibition, be printed in the *Gazette of India*, and be forwarded to the Local Governments and Administrations noted in the margin for publication in the local Gazettes.

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Bombay.  
Bengal.  
N. W. P. and Oudh.  
Punjab.

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Hyderabad.

## BOSTON INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION, 1884.

Patrons: THE MASSACHUSETTS CHARITABLE ASSOCIATION, BOSTON.

## PRESIDENT:

GEORGE COLLINS LEVEY, *Companion of St. Michael and St. George, Chevalier of the Legion of Honour, Knight Officer of the Crown of Italy, &c., &c.; Secretary to the Commissioners for Victoria at London and Vienna, 1873; Philadelphia, 1876; Secretary and Acting Commissioner, Paris, 1878; Secretary and General Manager to the Melbourne International Exhibition, 1880-81; Executive Commissioner for Victoria at the Amsterdam Exhibition, 1883.*

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*Secretary:*

GENERAL C. B. NORTON, BOSTON.

1. It is proposed to hold an International Exhibition in the magnificent buildings of the Massachusetts Charitable Association at Boston, the capital of

New England, commencing about April 15th, 1884, of the arts and industries of all nations. The commercial success which has attended the recent Exhibitions in Australia—including Adelaide, a city with a population of 60,000, and the capital of a colony of 300,000; Perth, with a population of 9,000, the capital of a colony with a population of 30,000; and Christchurch, New Zealand—has induced an association of capitalists to make arrangements for holding a series of Exhibitions throughout the United States and Canada. Buildings large enough for the purpose are to be found in nearly all the large cities. The first Exhibition will be held at Boston in the Spring of 1884. Boston with its suburbs has a population of 450,000, and New England of 4,000,000. The Boston Exhibition will be kept open as long as it proves remunerative to exhibitors and promoters.

2. Applications for space, with full particulars of the intended exhibit, can be forwarded to the Secretary of the Boston International Exhibition, 1884, No. 70, Water-street, Boston, prior to December 1st, 1883, or to the President, whose address up to November 15th, 1882, will be—"Lafayette," East St. Kilda, near Melbourne, Victoria, after which it will be—care of Gibb and Macintyre 7, St. Benet Place, Gracechurch-street, London E.-C.

3. The ordinary charge for space will be two shillings for each of the first twenty square feet, and one shilling for each additional square foot; but Exhibitors desiring a frontage to the main avenue for their cases can obtain it on payment of an additional five shillings per foot of such frontage, irrespective of depth. A passage of from 2 to 3 feet will be left round each case where desired and Exhibitors desirous of having spaces against the wall should mention the fact at the time of application. In cases where the sum to be charged for space will be less than £5, the full amount must accompany the application. Where it exceeds that sum, half may be paid on application, and the other half before the opening of the Exhibition.

4. The general reception of articles in the Exhibition Building will commence about March 1st, and terminate three days before the Exhibition opens, after which date no exhibits can be received, and all vacant spaces will become forfeited.

5. All exhibits must be removed within ten days after the close of the Exhibition, after which time they will be taken away by the Executive, and stored at the risk of the owner.

6. Exhibits will be admitted in bond, and can be sold free of charge so long as they are not removed before the close of the Exhibition; but Exhibitors who wish to make sales with immediate delivery must pay duty in advance, together with a license fee of two pounds ten shillings per week per stand, payable weekly in advance.

7. All fittings, show-cases, shelves, &c., which Exhibitors require must be provided at their own expense.

8. The Executive reserve the right of rejecting any proposed exhibit, and the introduction of dangerous or offensive substances is strictly prohibited.

9. Every precaution will be taken for the safe preservation of all exhibits against theft or fire, but the Executive can take no responsibility for accidents however caused.

10. All Exhibitors will receive a bronze medal and a certificate that their exhibits were admitted to the Boston Exhibition. Under special circumstances gold and silver medals may be awarded upon the recommendation of qualified experts, one-half of whom will be nominated by the Executive, and the other half by the representatives of the foreign Exhibitors.

11. An official catalogue will be published, and no other in the English language will be allowed in the building.

12. For special concessions special arrangements will be made.

13. The Executive reserve the right of lighting the building with the electric light or with gas, keeping open at night, and of altering or amending these Regulations.

14. Responsible Agents will be appointed in all the principal countries of Europe and the East, who will treat with intending Exhibitors, and afford all information.

GEORGE COLLINS LEVEY,  
E. R. STIMSON.  
CHARLES B. NORTON.

E. C. BUCK,  
*Secretary to the Government of India.*



GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

ABSTRACT OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE COUNCIL OF THE GOVERNOR  
GENERAL OF INDIA, ASSEMBLED FOR THE PURPOSE OF MAKING  
LAWS AND REGULATIONS UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE  
ACT OF PARLIAMENT 24 & 25 VIC., CAP. 67.

The Council met at Government House, Simla, on Wednesday, the 30th  
August, 1882.

P R E S E N T :

His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General of India, K.G., G.M.S.I.,  
G.M.I.E., *presiding*.

His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of the Panjáb, K.C.S.I., C.I.E.

His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, G.C.B., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble J. Gibbs, C.S.I., C.I.E.

Major the Hon'ble E. Baring, R.A., C.S.I., C.I.E.

Lieutenant-General the Hon'ble T. F. Wilson, C.B., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble C. P. Ilbert, C.I.E.

The Hon'ble Sir S. C. Bayley, K.C.S.I., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble T. C. Hope, C.S.I., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble C. H. T. Crosthwaite.

CENTRAL PROVINCES TENANCY BILL.

The Hon'ble MR. CROSTHWAITE asked for leave to postpone the presenta-  
tion of the further Report of the Select Committee on the Bill to consolidate  
and amend the law relating to Agricultural Tenancies in the Central Provinces.  
Leave was granted.

DEKKHAN AGRICULTURISTS' RELIEF ACT, 1879, AMENDMENT  
BILL.

The Hon'ble MR. HOPE moved for leave to introduce a Bill to amend  
the Dekkhan Agriculturists' Relief Act, 1879. He said :—

“ I think that the fact of this being the second application which it has  
been necessary to make to this Council for the amendment of the Act of three  
years ago is a very remarkable illustration of the capabilities of language for  
concealing our thoughts.

“ The original Act was framed by draftsmen of unquestionable skill ; it was  
hotly debated on, section by section, in some instances phrase by phrase,  
while the disputants on both sides understood thoroughly what the words  
about which they were disputing were intended to mean ; and yet we find, when  
the Act has passed into totally different hands for the purpose of being  
carried out, that what we deemed plain is found to be obscure ; that we are  
told that when we thought that we were enacting white, we unmistakeably  
enacted black ; and that some points which we deemed the Bill fully pro-  
vided for are not provided for at all. No doubt we must accept this state of  
things with a certain amount of humility, perhaps, not unmixed with a  
slight sense of wrong. However, it would appear that the only course open  
to this Council is to introduce an amending Act so as to make the original  
intentions perfectly clear, and while doing this it may legitimately take the  
opportunity of making any minor improvements in wording and machinery, so  
long as these are in harmony with the intention of the original measure.

“ The alterations which it is proposed to make in the Act, which I ought,  
perhaps, strictly speaking, to state now, when moving for leave to introduce  
the measure, are, in the main, three : The first consists of two or three pro-  
visions which deal with the subject of redemption. It is proposed that the pro-  
visions relating to suits for an account should apply to suits for an account and

redemption where mortgaged property is concerned, and that redemption itself should be allowed to take place though the period fixed for it may not have arrived; moreover, it is desired to carry out the intention of the original Bill, that the instalments contemplated by section 20 should be allowed in redemption-suits as well as in other suits.

"Under the second head is an amendment of sections 21 and 22, so as to carry out the original intention that they should be retro-active, and should apply to all the enormous number of old decrees which were then in existence. In consequence of their having been interpreted not to have retro-active effect, it has occurred first, that whereas we thought that we had put an end to imprisonment for debt, some sixty persons have been imprisoned during the last two years, besides which a considerable number of warrants have been issued but not executed; and secondly, that management by the Collector, which is a suitable measure for dealing with such old cases, has been held to be inapplicable.

"Next, it is proposed to make clear what was always intended, that the Courts, when directing insolvency-proceedings to be instituted, should be able to do so of their own motion, and not simply when they were moved by the judgment-creditor in the suit, who perhaps would be a person interested in the opposite direction.

"These are the three principal alterations which it is proposed to make. Besides these, there are two or three minor alterations or improvements in the detailed machinery, by which it is proposed to make the Act more consistent and harmonious. The first is that of providing for a revision instead of an appeal in all suits to which sections 12 to 15 apply, so as to avoid the anomaly of different controlling authorities dealing with the same subject. Secondly, we propose to allow the conciliators to summon either of the parties in a case who does not make his appearance, and also to limit the certificate which the conciliator gives to a certain fixed time in its operation, so as to prevent its being used as a means of intimidation for an indefinite period. Thirdly, it is proposed to give to the Special Judge power to refer any difficult case that may arise for the opinion of the High Court.

"I have only to say, in conclusion, that these imperfections have very seriously impeded the operation of the Act; more especially have they prevented the working of the compensatory powers it was intended to provide—that is to say, the giving to the creditor all that could reasonably be got out of the debtor's estate by effective management, in lieu of the powers of annoyance and oppression of which he was deprived; and even the principal machinery was not in tolerable working order until last year.

"However, it may be said with confidence that experience has hitherto uniformly shown that, in every instance in which the Act has been able to work fairly, it has worked with great success. At the same time, until complete effect has been given to all its provisions by the amending Bill which I now have the honour to ask leave to bring before the Council, and until a year or two of experience of the whole amended Act has been actually acquired, it cannot be said that even an approach to a fair trial has been afforded to it."

The Motion was put and agreed to.

#### BRITISH BURMA PILOTS BILL.

The Hon'ble MR. ILBERT moved that Major the Hon'ble E. Baring be added to the Select Committee on the Bill to provide for the grant of licenses to Pilots in British Burma and for investigating certain charges against them.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Council adjourned to Wednesday, the 6th September, 1882.

SIMLA ;  
The 30th August, 1882. }

D. FITZPATRICK,  
Secretary to the Government of India,  
Legislative Department.



The Council met at Government House, Simla, on Wednesday, the 6th September, 1882.

P R E S E N T :

His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General of India, K.G., G.M.S.I., G.M.I.E., *presiding*.

His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of the Panjáb, K.C.S.I., C.I.E.

His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, G.C.B., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble J. Gibbs, C.S.I., C.I.E.

Major the Hon'ble E. Baring, R.A., C.S.I., C.I.E.

Lieutenant-General the Hon'ble T. F. Wilson, C.B., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble C. P. Ilbert, C.I.E.

The Hon'ble Sir S. C. Bayley, K.C.S.I., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble T. C. Hope, C.S.I., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble C. H. T. Crosthwaite.

The Hon'ble W. C. Plowden.

CENTRAL PROVINCES TENANCY BILL.

The Hon'ble MR. CROSTHWAITE presented the further Report of the Select Committee on the Bill to consolidate and amend the law relating to Agricultural Tenancies in the Central Provinces.

DEKKHAN AGRICULTURISTS' RELIEF ACT, 1879, AMENDMENT BILL.

The Hon'ble MR. HOPE introduced the Bill to amend the Dekkhan Agriculturists' Relief Act, 1879.

The Hon'ble MR. HOPE also asked for leave to postpone the Motion that the Bill be referred to a Select Committee.

Leave was granted.

The Hon'ble MR. HOPE then moved that the Bill and Statement of Objects and Reasons be published in the *Bombay Government Gazette* in English and in such other languages as the Local Government might think fit.

The Motion was put and agreed to.

The Council adjourned to Wednesday, the 20th September, 1882.

D. FITZPATRICK,

SIMLA ;  
The 6th September, 1882. }  
Secretary to the Government of India,  
Legislative Department.

QUESTION OF GIVING GREATER PUBLICITY TO MEASURES UNDER  
THE CONSIDERATION OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL'S  
LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

No. 1030-40, dated Simla, the 8th September 1882.

From—D. FITZPATRICK, Esq., Secy. to the Govt. of India, LEGISLATIVE DEPT.,

To—All Local Governments and Administrations.

I am directed to invite <sup>the attention of His Excellency the Governor in Council</sup> ~~the attention of His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor~~ <sup>your attention</sup> to the question which has been recently raised in the Legislative Council and in the Press, as to the possibility of giving greater publicity to measures under the consideration of the legislature, and to request that the Government of India may be favoured with any suggestions which <sup>His Excellency</sup> ~~His Honour~~ <sup>you</sup> may desire to make for the improvement of the existing procedure generally, and in particular in regard to the points to be presently referred to.

2. I am, in the first place, to observe that more direct steps are already taken by the Government in India than are taken in England to make the Bills before the Legislature known to the public. In Bengal, and it is believed in other parts of India, the vernacular Gazettes are sent to all the courts, and are there read by the Pleaders and Mukhtárs. Public bodies of weight or influence are consulted on Bills of importance. Besides the large Associations to which the Local Government refers direct, there are local Associations which the district officer usually consults. Every district and subdivisional officer is expected, not only to express his own opinion, but also to ascertain the opinions of the Natives around him; and, as a matter of fact, the papers which are printed regarding important Bills commonly contain many valuable opinions from Native Associations and from individual Native gentlemen.

It must, however, be borne in mind that some of the most important Bills which come before the Council, and in particular measures like the great codifying Bills in connection with which this question has arisen, are, no matter how clearly they may be drafted, of such a nature that, even with the aid of the fullest explanations, none but experts can hope to master their contents sufficiently to offer any useful criticism on them. Similar measures meet with but little criticism in England outside professional circles, and in India the prospect of obtaining useful criticisms on measures of this class is much diminished by the difficulties of translation to which I am presently to refer.

3. The Governor General in Council would not have it supposed that these observations are made with any view to deprecating further efforts being made to attain the object desired. He is, on the contrary, fully sensible that it is the duty of the Government to give the largest practicable amount of publicity to legislative proceedings, and to afford the public every opportunity of examining them and expressing an opinion upon them, and he is satisfied that more can be done in this respect than is done at present. The matter is, however, I am to observe, one which is not altogether in the hands of the Government. The Press is the most effective agency for bringing the measures of the Government before the public and securing for them a full discussion. Without its co-operation little can be done; and the first aim of the Government accordingly should be to give the Press all the information in its power as to the object and necessity of any proposed legislation.

4. Bearing this in mind, the first change in the existing practice which is contemplated by the Government of India is the publication of a fuller and more popular Statement of Objects and Reasons, showing why the measure is required, and giving a short history of the circumstances which have led up to it, and an explanation of the effect it is likely to have on the subject-matter and on the people. Pains will in future be taken to make such statements as clear and intelligible to the ordinary unscientific mind as possible; and when the Bill has been brought in, the Bill itself and the Statement of Objects and Reasons and (when this appears desirable) the speech made by the Member in charge in moving for leave to introduce it, will be printed in separate form on cheap paper, so as to be available (with the translations to be presently referred to) for gratuitous distribution to the Press and to such Municipalities, Local Boards and Associations interesting themselves in public questions as it may be considered desirable to supply them to. These papers will further be sold at a low price to the public, and might be made available for perusal without fee at court-houses and *kachahrís*.

5. The matter of translations is that which next demands attention, and it is by no means so simple. The difficulties of translating the technical wording of our Bills into oriental languages, and especially into such of those languages as are so rude and meagre as to require to be supplemented from the Arabic or Sanskrit, are on all hands admitted to be very great. Whether these difficulties are at present overcome to the full extent to which it is practicable to overcome them the Government of India is not in a position to say. It is alleged by recent critics that they are not, and the point is one which must be inquired into; but however this may be, the Governor General in Council desires that no pains may be spared to make these translations as perfect as the difficulties of the case will permit.



The matter is one which, in the case of most of the languages into which translations are made, must be dealt with directly by the Local Governments; and I am to request that full information may be furnished to the Government of India as to the languages into which Bills, Statements of Objects and Reasons, and Reports of Select Committees are translated in the territories administered by <sup>His Excellency</sup> <sup>His Honour</sup> you, as to the nature and cost of the agency by which the work is done, as to the means adopted for testing the accuracy of the work, and as to the quality of the work, and the measures which may be suggested for improving its quality and for ensuring an earlier publication of the translations.

6. As regards translations into Urdu, it has been suggested that it might be advantageous to have translations into that language prepared in the Translating Branch of this Department for distribution to all those parts of British India in which that language is understood. It has been said that, in most parts of the country where the people do not speak any form of Urdu, educated persons are generally able to read Urdu or understand it so as to be able to read it in a transliterated version. If this is the case, and if Local Governments are of opinion that it would be an advantage to have at least one translation available which would be understood by a considerable number of intelligent persons in each Province, and which might be relied on as being as good as the ablest translators could make it, the Government of India would be prepared to make such arrangements in the Translating Branch of this Department as might be necessary to admit of Urdu translations of Bills, Statements of Objects and Reasons and Reports being prepared here for distribution throughout British India. I am accordingly to solicit an expression of opinion on this matter.

7. Assuming the Statement of Objects and Reasons to have been prepared in the manner above indicated, and proper translations of it, and of the Bill, and of any other document it may be desirable to circulate with them, to have been made, the next question that presents itself is that as to the mode in which those documents are to be brought to the notice of the persons whose opinions it is desired to elicit. I have already said that it is the intention of the Government of India to have copies of the English versions prepared here for sale at a low price to the public, and for gratuitous distribution in certain quarters. The same thing will have to be done by the Local Governments in regard to the translations prepared under their orders; but it remains to be considered to what persons or public bodies these documents, as well as the English versions prepared here, should be distributed gratuitously, and what means should be taken to render them readily available for purchase by the public generally. This matter is one to be dealt with by the Local Governments, and I am to request that you will state what steps are at present taken by <sup>His Excellency</sup> <sup>His Honour</sup> you in regard to such distribution and sale, and what additional steps it is proposed to take in order to further the object in view, as for example, by submitting copies of the Bills and the papers connected with them to meetings of persons interested in them or otherwise.

8. I have already intimated that the Governor General in Council attaches the greatest importance to the co-operation of the Press in this important work, and it has been determined that the comments of the Press, English and Vernacular, shall be more closely watched here than they have heretofore been, and that in some cases abstracts of, and in others full extracts from, newspaper articles shall be circulated to members of the Legislative Council in the same way as regular official communications now are circulated. I am accordingly to request that particular attention may be paid to the matter of distributing copies of Bills and the documents connected with them gratuitously to the Press, and that the Government of India may be informed as to what papers, both English and Vernacular, in your Province are of sufficient importance to make it desirable that they should be supplied with copies.

9. It will be remembered, in connection with this portion of the subject, that exception has been taken to the present procedure of the Legislative

Council on the ground that, under that procedure, sufficient time for forming opinions is not allowed, especially to those who are dependent on translations which cannot be brought out for some time after the publication of a Bill; and it has been suggested that a rule of business should be framed which would preclude the Select Committees to which all Bills of any importance are referred from reporting on a Bill until a specified period has elapsed from the date of its publication in the Vernacular languages. Any such hard-and-fast rule would, in the opinion of the Governor General in Council, be altogether unworkable. The time to be allowed in each instance must depend upon all the circumstances of the case; but with a view to imposing a check upon over-haste, it has been determined to make a rule of business to the effect that, when publication in the vernacular has been ordered by the Council (as it always is in the case of any Bill in which the people are interested), the Select Committee shall, in their report, state the date on which the Bill has been published in each language. The result of this will be that, if in any case the Committee propose to proceed with a Bill before any particular section of the community has been allowed the time to form its opinion which would ordinarily be considered sufficient, the fact will be brought prominently to notice, and some special grounds of urgency will have to be adduced in support of the course proposed.

10. With respect to the republishing of Bills as amended in Select Committee, it appears to the Governor General in Council that, as a rule, it is only the first or principal Report of a Select Committee that should be published. It would be impossible to go on republishing every time a Bill was amended during its passage through the Legislative Council. Such a process would indefinitely postpone the final passing of Bills, or would prevent very useful changes, such as are constantly suggested at a late stage of a measure, being introduced, except at the cost of a delay which it might not be worth while to encounter. As regards republication in English, this matter seems to be adequately provided for by the rule of business which requires a Select Committee to report whether in their judgment the Bill has been so altered by them as to require republication.

11. As regards republication in the vernacular languages, it should be stated that, though the rules of business contain no express provision on the point, the more important Bills are at present republished in vernacular as well as in English. The question is, whether this practice should not be extended.

The Governor General in Council considers that, as a rule, when a Bill is of such a nature that the Council thinks it necessary to order it on its introduction to be published in the vernacular, and the Select Committee thinks it has been so altered as to require republication, there should be a republication in the vernacular languages as well as in English. But this, I am to observe, is not always so. It occasionally happens that the alterations in a Bill which lead the Committee to recommend its republication are alterations merely in drafting or in matters of procedure, and that republication is recommended, not because the interests of any persons concerned are supposed to be affected, but simply because, owing to the complication of the subject, or to the danger of there being some flaw which would cause a hitch in the working of the Bill as amended, it is thought desirable to submit it once more to the judgment of experts. In a case of this sort a republication in English is obviously all that is required.

This being so, it appears to the Governor General in Council that it would be impracticable to lay down any hard-and-fast rules, and that the requirements of the case will be best met by adding to the present rules of business a provision to the effect that, when the Committee recommend the republication of a Bill originally published in a vernacular language, the republication shall, as a rule, take place in the vernacular as well as in English, and that, if in any case the Committee do not consider republication in the vernacular to be necessary, they shall give their reasons for that opinion in their Report. When an amended Bill with its accompanying Report is to be republished in the vernacular languages, the Report, it need hardly be said, will be drawn up in the



full and popular style which is to be adopted in the Statement of Objects and Reasons; and the publication, translation and distribution, and the time to be allowed for the formation and communication of opinions, will be governed by the same rules as in the case of an original Bill.

12. In conclusion, I am to inform you that this letter will be published in the *Gazette of India* and communicated to the Press with a view to eliciting suggestions; and I am to request that it may be published also in the local Gazette and communicated to such public bodies and leading members of the Native community as may be expected to give intelligent opinions on the points to which it refers.

I am to request that your reply to this letter may be sent at an early date.

D. FITZPATRICK,  
*Secretary to the Government of India.*



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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.  
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.  
RAILWAY TRAFFIC.

No. XXXII of 1882.

APPROXIMATE STATEMENT OF GROSS RECEIPTS AND EXPENSES OF INDIAN RAILWAYS.

Latest return received.	Railways.	Total length open.	RECEIPTS FOR WEEK ENDING 13TH AUGUST 1881.		Total length open.	RECEIPTS FOR WEEK ENDING 12TH AUGUST 1882.		TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1ST APRIL TO 13TH AUGUST 1881.		TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM 1ST APRIL TO 12TH AUGUST 1882.		Total Increase in 1882-83.	Total Decrease in 1882-83.
			Total.	Per mile open.		Total.	Per mile open.	Total.	Per mile open per week.	Total.	Per mile open per week.		
	<i>Guaranteed.</i>		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
19th Aug. 1882	Eastern Bengal ...	172	1,46,231	850	172	1,24,292	723	14,86,318	443	15,27,842	464	41,524	...
12th ditto ...	Oudh and Rohilkhand ...	547	66,814	122	547	65,476	120	18,04,491	171	19,13,212	183	1,08,721	...
19th ditto ...	Sind, Punjab and Delhi ...	676	1,26,237	187	676	1,20,760	179	32,23,263	247	35,53,211	274	3,29,948	...
12th ditto ...	Madras ...	858	1,16,491	136	861	1,25,634	146	24,10,904	146	26,47,391	161	2,36,487	...
5th ditto ...	South Indian ...	655	64,097	98	...	(a)...	...	(b)13,92,492	116	(c)13,77,918	116	...	14,574
19th ditto ...	Great Indian Peninsula ...	1,439	4,06,876	283	1,450	4,68,565	323	1,22,94,180	440	1,31,59,547	474	8,65,367	...
19th ditto ...	Bombay, Baroda and Central India ...	444	75,640	170	461	1,05,674	229	40,00,417	467	40,56,756	460	56,339	...
	TOTAL ...	4,791	10,02,386	209	4,167	10,10,401	242	2,66,12,065	288	2,82,35,877	306	16,23,812	...
	<i>State.</i>												
19th Aug. 1882	East Indian ...	1,504	6,49,195	432	1,507	7,91,983	526	1,51,45,221	521	1,66,29,828	576	14,84,607	...
12th ditto ...	Calcutta and South-Eastern ...	28	2,226	79	33	2,530	77	58,000	107	73,184	127	15,184	...
19th ditto ...	Nalhati ...	27	1,045	39	27	1,108	41	23,267	45	25,254	49	1,987	...
12th ditto ...	Northern Bengal ...	233	31,287	134	230	36,250	158	5,69,638	128	6,86,863	155	1,17,225	...
19th ditto ...	Tirhoot ...	76	7,747	102	75	11,295	151	2,17,558	141	2,34,992	148	17,434	...
19th ditto ...	Patna-Gya ...	57	5,992	105	57	6,178	108	1,60,363	146	1,66,524	153	6,161	...
19th ditto ...	Muttra-Hathras ...	29	3,325	115	29	1,769	61	49,163	88	40,660	73	...	8,503
19th ditto ...	Cawnpore-Furrakhabad ...	86	4,015	47	87	5,882	68	97,030	59	1,22,649	74	25,619	...
12th ditto ...	Dildarnagar-Ghazipur ...	12	436	36	12	488	41	16,157	70	18,108	79	1,951	...
19th ditto ...	Rajputana-Malwa ...	1,016	1,04,056	102	1,117	1,50,581	135	31,43,355	160	38,10,733	178	6,67,378	...
12th ditto ...	Wardha Coal ...	45	9,259	206	45	13,141	292	1,88,384	217	1,99,671	232	11,287	...
12th ditto ...	Nagpur and Chhattisgarh ...	53	2,980	56	98	4,425	45	1,12,579	96	2,33,403	125	1,20,824	...
12th ditto ...	Rangoon and Irrawaddy Valley ...	161	14,579	91	161	15,603	97	5,33,067	171	5,39,829	175	6,762	...
19th ditto ...	Sindia ...	75	3,890	52	75	4,312	57	1,08,981	76	1,16,934	81	7,953	...
12th ditto ...	Punjab Northern ...	363	54,478	150	412	44,941	109	10,72,674	153	10,81,047	141	8,373	...
19th ditto ...	Indus Valley and Kandahar ...	660	66,917	101	650	20,989	32	16,36,569	129	16,26,227	129	...	10,342
19th ditto ...	Muttra-Achneyra ...	...	...	...	23	983	43	...	...	22,692	52	22,692	...
	TOTAL ...	2,921	3,12,232	107	3,131	3,20,375	102	79,86,785	141	89,98,770	150	10,11,985	...
	<i>Native States.</i>												
19th Aug. 1882	Bhavnagar-Gondal ...	119	3,010	25	194	9,210	47	3,02,667	93	3,82,892	103	80,225	...
12th ditto ...	Nizam's ...	121	12,953	107	121	14,813	122	3,11,561	134	3,22,599	139	11,038	...
5th ditto ...	Mysore ...	58	2,191	38	...	(a)...	...	(b)51,738	49	(c)92,380	59	40,642	...
	TOTAL ...	298	18,154	61	315	24,023	76	6,65,966	99	7,97,871	104	1,31,905	...
	GRAND TOTAL ...	9,514	19,81,967	208	9,120	21,46,782	235	5,04,10,037	273	5,46,62,346	289	42,52,309	...
	GROSS ESTIMATED EXPENSES ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,44,24,669	132	2,65,14,359	140	...	...
	NET RECEIPTS ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,59,85,368	141	2,81,47,987	149	21,62,619	...

(a) Return not received.

(b) Total receipts from 1st April to 6th August 1881.

(c) Total receipts from 1st April to 5th August 1882.

SIMLA,  
The 7th September 1882.

FRED. FIREBRACE, Major, R.E.,  
Under Secretary.

